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WASHINGTON, Wednesday, March 14.

THE ARMY BILL.

Save the action upon the Army bill, the proceedings in the Senate to-day were not of remarkable interest. The bill as passed was substantially the same as that introduced by the Senate Military Committee and published in the TIMES Congressional report some days ago. It will also be recollected that we stated at the time that before the Military Committee reported the bill to the Senate it had been examined by Gens. GRANT, SHERMAN, MEADE and THOMAS, and by them approved. The only feature in the bill which to-day elicited strong opposition, was that which gives the proportion of the several arms of the service, the Veteran Reserves being omitted entirely as an organization. Letters from Gens. MEADE, SHERMAN and THOMAS were read by Senator WILSON, approving this omission, and giving their reasons for such approval. Mr. HENDRICKS offered an amendment to give the Veteran Reserves a representation in the apportionment, but the Senate rejected the amendment by a very decided vote. Among the amendments adopted this afternoon was one fixing the rate of mileage at ten instead of six cents, another authorizing the President to appoint a Military Professor in academies where there are a hundred and fifty students; another authoring the employment of one thousand Indians as cavalry scouts, and another which provides that officers for colored troops shall be selected generally from the army, as in the case of white soldiers. To this last proposition Mr. HARRIS objected because it would compel an officer when so ordered to take command of colored troops, however distasteful it may be to him, or resign his commission. Mr. GRIMES said he did not want such sensitive men in the service. He thought they were unfit to serve the country. Mr. McDOUGAL said it wouldn't do for any one of his name, whether of the masculine or feminine gender, to take command of colored troops. The amendment was adopted, nevertheless. The bill will meet with general favor in the House, except, perhaps, as to the exclusion of the Veteran Reserves, who have a host of friends in that branch of Congress.

RETRENCHMENT IN ARMY EXPENSES.

The work of retrenchment in army expenses goes on as briskly as practicable. Special Order No. 112, from the War Department promulgated to-day, musters out of service twenty-four Assistant Quartermasters, nine Commissaries of Subsistance, and three Surgeons, all of the volunteer service.

THE FREEDMEN'S BUREAU.

An order from the War Department assigns one hundred officers of the Veteran Reserve Corps to duty under the direction of the Freedmen's Bureau.

AMENDMENT TO THE HABEAS CORPUS ACT.

The House has under consideration a bill reported from the Judiciary Committee, amendatory of the act of March 3, 1865, known as the *Habeas Corpus* Act, the necessity for which has grown out of the malicious disposition of the State Courts of Kentucky, in arresting, trying and imprisoning military officers for acts done in the line of their duty. This amendment provides that all acts, seizures, arrests, &c., by United States officers holding the command of any district, department or place, shall be held to come within the purview of the act to which this is an amendment. The production of the written order or telegraphic dispatch for an arrest, with proof of their authenticity, shall be sufficient for evidence. All cases wherein United States officers have been held in State Courts for such action shall be removed to the United States Courts for trial.

A REBEL ELECTION QUIETLY SQUELCHED.

Intelligence was conveyed to the President to-day, of the election of JOHN T. MONROE as Mayor of the City of New-Orleans. It will be recollected that MONROE was the rebel Mayor of New-Orleans when that city was taken by our forces in April, 1862. He refused to submit to the Federal authority and was confined in a fort. He was afterward released, and has continued outspoken in his disloyalty to the Government. The President this evening authorized a telegram to be sent to Gov. WELLS, requesting the latter to withhold the credentials of election from MONROE, and thus prevent his assumption of the office of Mayor.

THE SEA ISLAND PLANTATIONS.

Gen. TILLSON, Assistant Commissioner of Freedmen's Affairs in the State of Georgia, gives the Bureau an account of his visit to the Sea Islands. He states that all the questions in dispute between the freed people on the islands and the former white residents, are now amicably settled. Those having grants of land have had them consolidated on one part of the estate upon which they were given, as directed in Special Field Order No. 3. In addition to these satisfactory results, a saving of from six thousand to eight thousand rations per month to the Government has been effected. The Assistant Commissioner fears that owing to the want of implements, seeds, animals and food, the freedmenn having grants of land will fail in raising a fair crop. There are scarcely ten families of freed people on the Sea Islands whose grants of land are of any value whatever. Land is abundant enough, but labor is scarce, and commands a very high price, and he thinks the freedmen would find it much more to their advantage to go to work for wages than to attempt to cultivate land for themselves with inadequate means. He is fully convinced from personal examination that the question over which there has been so much dispute as to whether or not the freedmen shall retain their land for a few years has becessed from the cheapness of land and the scarcity of labor to be of the slightest consequence to them. He says that the real want in that State is a sufficient military force to insure the prompt arrest of criminals, and such an organization of the United States Courts as shall enable the people, white and black, to stand on an equality before the law, and to obtain Justice.

FABRICATIONS.

The *Tribune* correspondent from this point keeps up its fabrications with undiminished zeal and increasing recklessdess. His dispatch of Monday concerning the National Union Executive Committee appointed at Baltimore is an unqualified fabrication. No meeting of that Committee, informal or otherwise, has been held; none has been called. No consultations in regard to any have been had, and no attempt at an understanding with the President or anybody else has been made. There is no meeting to be held to-day. The whole story is as bald and naked a falsehood as the *Tribune's* resources can command from this point. And this, I am bound to say, is the general character of the Washington political dispatches sent to that journal. Its statement last week that the national Executive Committee had ordered fifty thousand copies of Senator TRUMBULL's speech for distribution, was of the same character. So was its story about Secretary SEWARD and Representative SCHOFIELD, of Pennsylvania, and its yesterday's fabrication about the Cooper Institute Meeting Committee. None of the Committee came to Washington; but they sent Gen. WETMORE as their representative who brought the resolutions and was most cordially and hospitably received by the President and Secretary SEWARD.

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY AND THE COMPTROLLER.

As the controversy between the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller, with regard to financial matters, attracts much attention, it may be of interest to learn that the law provides that the Comptroller shall be appointed by the President on the recommendation of the Secretary of the Treasury, by and with the consent of the Senate, and shall hold his appointment for five years, unless sooner removed by the President upon reason to be communicated to the Senate.

FISHERY AND WATER CULTURE.

A communication was sent to the Senate to-day by the President, relative to the proposed exhibition of fishery and water culture, to be held at Archacon, near Bordeaux, in France, in July next. It embraces correspondence between our Minister at Paris and the Secretary of State and citizens of France. This exhibition, though mainly a private enterprise, receives a subsidy from the empire, and will be controlled by Government officers. Mr. BIGELOW is induced to inquire in view of the magnitude of our whale, cod, oyster and other fisheries, and the extent and capacity for fresh distribution of our fluvial system, what action our Government proposes to take for the representation of the United States in that Exposition. He announces that the Scientific Society of Archacon will defray the costs of transport through France of all American articles exposed. Mr. BIGELOW, in a note to Prof. CARLE, promises that nothing shall be wanting on his part to secure such a representation from the United States as is due from a country adapted by nature to profit more largely perhaps than any other in the development of the science of fishery and water culture. The communication was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. A similar one was also transmitted to the House.

THE ADMISSION OF COLORADO.

Senator WILSON to-day moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the Senate refused to pass to a third reading the bill for the admission of Colorado into the Union. The friends of the measure are all confident of its passage when the question comes to be fairly understood. Some misrepresentations of a disparaging character to Colorado were brought before the Senate in printed slips and laid on the tables of members, and by memoranda furnished for use in debate, for the correction of which no time was allowed.

ABSTRACTION OF BONDS BY A TREASURY CLERK.

WALLACE WHITTLESEY, on trial before the Criminal Court, charged with abstracting public paper, with a recommendation to mercy. The accused was employed as a clerk in the currency bureau of the Treasury Department, and on the 1st day of October, 1863, one hundred bonds, purporting to be worth $1,000 each, but which were only partially filled up, were abstracted. Some time subsequent to the abstraction of the bonds, the accused resigned his position in the Treasury Department, and suspicion fell upon him as the party guilty of the abstraction. After a great deal of labor two detectives of this city succeeded in obtaining sufficient evidence of his guilt to justify his arrest in New-York, and recovered at the residence of the accused a number of the coupons.

THE ATTORNEY'S OATH.

In the United States Supreme Court to-day, Mr. MARR concluded his argument in the *ex parte* cases of A. H. GARLAND and ROBERT N. MARR. He contended the law requiring attorneys to swear and subscribe to an oath that they have never engaged in armed hostility to the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemy, was in the nature of a bill of pains and penalties, and not an oath of office in the sense of the Constitution, but an exclusion from office as attorneys of those who committed certain acts during the late revolt. It was Congress sitting in judgment on this class of citizens. An attorney is not an officer of the Government, but the office is created by the rules governing the Courts. If this argument failed he placed his defence on the pardon and amnesty proclamation of the President, the effect of which was, accordin to the highest legal outhorities, to remove all liabilities for offences committed, and to place the subject of clemency in position which he previously occupied; in other words an obliteration of the consequences of his illegal acts.

Mr. STANBERRY, of Ohio, spoke in opposition Congress; fixes the number of the Judges of the Supreme Court, their salaries, and the place where they shall sit. Provision is made for a Clerk and Marshal. In fact, all the machinery is regulated by statutes. It was the act of Congress which gave counsellors the right to appear at this bar. The oath alluded to in the Constitution has nothing to do with lawyers, but the law of Congress requires them to be sworn. If a man is excluded from practice at this bar by reason of crime, the pardon of the President could not restore him. He referred to the arguments that the oath is unconstitutional; that the law is *ex post facto*, and that it deprives the person afflicted of the right of trial, and to summon witnesses in his defence. This was like making up various medicines in the form of a bolus, so that if one did not, another would, cure. The arguments were thus presented in order, that they might operate by virtue of the Constitution. The oath was complete in itself, and referred to all attorneys. Mr. STANBERRY argued at length in support of the constitutionality of the law.

Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON made an argument before the Court in behalf of the petitioners.

THE INCOME TAX.

The Ways and Means Committee have not agreed to reduce the income tax to five per cent. There was a possibility that they would do so, but they have since reversed their action, and it is probable that they will leave it as it stands.

THE PHILADELPHIA NAVY-YARD.

The Naval Committee of the House are vigorously engaged in the investigation of the project to remove the Philadelphia Navy-yard to League Island. Admiral STRINGHAM was before the Committee yesterday, and Capt. FOX, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, to-day. The City of Philadelphia proposes to purchase League Island and give it to the Government for a navy-yard, if the Government will cede to the city the site of its present yard for mercantile purposes.

CHEAP HORRORS.

A "One-Armed Soldier," as he advertised himself, announces the old Capitol Prison as on exhibition for twenty-five cents, the sight-seer, he says, may see the cells, the many curious devices upon the walls, the cell where the wretched WIRZ lived and the yard where he died, the room and picture of the female spy BELLE BOYD, the room where WIRZ was dissected, and a man's heart in spirits, possibly belonging to WIRZ also, and all for twenty-five cents. Here's a chapter of horrors dog cheap for all visitors.

THE GUERILLA QUANTRELL.

A man answering the description of QUANTRELL, the leader of the Lawrence, Kansas, massacre, was arrested in New-York Saturday night and is now here, in Gen. AUGUR's guard-house. It is said several citizens of Kansas, including Senators LANE and POMEROY and Capt. M. H. INSLEY, have visited him, and are of the opinion that Te is the identical individual.

CONFIRMATIONS.

The Senate in Executive Session have confirmed the following nominations: Brig.-Gen. BENJAMIN H. GRIERSON to be Major-General, Brig.-Gen. EDWIN M. McCOOK to be Major-General by Brevet, HORATIO HIGHT to be Assistant-Appraiser of Merchandise for the Port of Portland.

PARDONS.

The number of pardons that have been granted by the President to persons in the States below named, under the thirteenth exception in the Amnesty Proclamation—namely: whose taxable property is over $20,000—are as follows: Kentucky, 12; West Virginia, 48; Arkansas, 41; Missouri, 10; Virginia, 2,070; North Carolina, 482; South Carolina, 638; Florida, 38; Louisiana, 142; Georgia, 1,228; Alabama, 1,361; Mississippi, 765; total, 6,835.

THE TAX ON FOREIGN WINES.

American wine growers will be glad to know that their competition with foreign wines is likely to be somewhat diminished by a more just impost on the imported article. If whisky will bear two dollars, the Committee of Ways and Means think that port, sherry, burgandy, &c., ought to yield more than thirty cents. We learn that the Committee will increase the present duty at least a hundred per cent.

THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE BONDED GOODS.

This afternoon the President signed the bill to extend the time for the withdrawal of goods for consumption from public store and bonded warehouse, and the same is now a law. The act as it finally passed is set forth in the Senate proceedings, published in the TIMES of Tuesday, the 13th inst.

THE CAMPAIGN IN CONNECTICUT.

Senator SHERMAN left here this evening for Connecticut, to make several speeches in support of the Republican ticket.

INTERVIEW WITH THE PRESIDENT.

The President received a visit to-day from the corporate officers of Georgetown, who presented resolutions approving Mr. JOHNSON's course adopted by the Aldermen and Common Council of that city. The President briefly responded, thanking the gentlemen for their confidence.

THIRTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

SENATE....WASHINGTON, Wednesday, March 14.

AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT FROM THE KING OF ITALY TO AN AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Mr. SUMNER, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported a joint resolution authorizing Commodore WILLIAM RADFORD to accept the decoration of the Order of St. Maurice and Lazzaro from the King of Italy, as a reward for the assistance rendered by him to the Italian frigate *Re D'Italia*, when ashore on Long Branch.

THE CIVIL EXPENSES.

Mr. FESSENDEN, from the Committee on Finance, reported, with amendments, the bill, to supply deficiencies in appropriations for the civil expenses of the Government for the current fiscal year.

Among these amendments are the following: Striking out the appropriation for surveying and buoying out the Seekouk River, in Rhode Island; reducing from $20,000 to $10,000 the appropriation for rebuilding the outer range lighthouse in Sandusky Bay, Ohio; striking out the proviso that carpets for the public buildings shall be of domestic manufacture, and reducing the item for expenses in detecting the counterfeiting of United States notes from $100,000 to $50,000.

The report strikes out items for the expenses of the census of Arizona in 1864; for building a bridge over the canal at Portland; for making alterations in the Providence Custom-house; for compensation of the Revenue Agent at New-York, and for compilation of the laws of the United States relating to revenue, commerce and navigation.

It adds an item of $70,000 for deficiencies in the fund for sick and disabled seamen.

It provides a salary for the Director of the Mint at Philadelphia of $4,000 per annum; for the Treasurer, $3,500, with $1,500 additional as Assistant Treasurer of the United States; for the Smelter and Refiner, $3,000; for the Assayer, $2,000; for the Chief Coiner, $3,000; for the Clerk, $2,500; for four Assistant Clerks, $1,500 each; for the Treasurer at San Francisco, $1,500 additional as Assistant Treasurer of the United States; for the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New-York, $8,000; and for the Assistant Treasurers at Boston and St. Louis, $5,000 each.

MEMORIAL FROM THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Mr. WILLIAMS presented the Memorial of the Oregon Legislature against the taxation of mining and mining claims. Referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

PETITION FROM THE ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY.

Mr. MORGAN presented the petition of the Adams Express Company for the issue of United States notes in lieu of like notes destroyed by fire, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

THE LATE ARSENAL EXPLOSION.

Mr. MORRILL, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported favorably the joint resolution for the relief of the sufferers by the late explosion of the United States Arsenal in Washington.

It appropriates $3,500 for the distribution among the sufferers, ten in number, or their families.

The resolution was passed.

A HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE.

Mr. GRIMES, from the Naval Committee, reported the bill for the establishment of a hydrographic office in the Navy Department, with a favorable recommendation.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

Mr. TRUMBULL, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the Civil Rights Bill with the House amendments, reported that the Committee had agreed to the House amendments, and asked the immediate consideration of the bill for the purpose of concurring therein.

Mr. DAVIS—I hope that the bill will not be considered now.

The Chair—It requires unanimous consent to consider it at the present time.

Mr. DAVIS—Then, Sir, I object.

The Chair—Objection being made the bill lies over.

THE RECONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE.

Mr. DAVIS offered a resolution that the Joint Committee on Reconstruction ought to take the testimony of a reasonable number of persons whose names may be suggested by the Senators and Representatives from the Southern States.

Mr. GRIMES objected, and the resolution goes over.

CALIFORNIA RAILROADS.

A bill to grant land in aid of the construction of a railroad from Placerville, California, to a point of intersection with the Pacific Railroad in Nevada, was passed.

THE MILITARY PEACE ESTABLISHMENT BILL.

At 1 o'clock Mr. WILSON called up the bill to increase and fix the military peace establishment of the United States.

The bill was reported from the Committee on Military Affairs, with slight verbal amendments, as follows:

SEC. 1. That the military peace establishment of the United States shall consist of five regiments of artillery, twelve regiments of cavalry and fifty regiments of infantry, the professors and corps of the United States Military Academy and such other forces as shall be provided for by this act, to be known as the Army of the United States.

SEC. 2. That the five regiments of artillery provided for by this act shall consist of the five regiments now organized, and the First, Second, Third and Fourth regiments of artillery shall have the same organization as is now prescribed by law for the Fifth regiment of artillery.

Provided, That the regimental adjutants, quartermasters and commissaries shall hereafter be extra first or second lieutenants.

SEC. 3. That to the six regiments of cavalry shall be added six regiments, having the same organization as is now provided by law for cavalry regiments, the first and second lieutenants of which and two-thirds of the officers in each of the grades above that of first lieutenant, shall be selected from among the officers and soldiers of the volunteer cavalry, and one-third from the officers and soldiers of the regular army, who have served two years in the field during the war, and have been distinguished for capacity and good conduct.

Provided, That four of the companies from each regiment may be armed and drilled as infantry, at the discretion of the President.

Provided, That each cavalry regiment shall have but one hospital steward, and the regimental adjutants, quartermasters and commissaries shall be extra first or second lieutenants.

SEC. 4. That there shall be fifty regiments of infantry, to consist of the ten regiments of ten companies each now organized, the nine remaining regiments to be so distributed that each battalion, with the addition of two companies, shall constitute a regiment of ten companies; and five additional regiments of ten companies each, and all the vacancies in the grades of first and second lieutenants, and two-thirds of the vacancies in each of the grades above that of first lieutenant, shall be filled by selection from among the officers and soldiers of volunteer infantry and artillery, and one-third from officers and soldiers of the regular army, who have served two years during the war, and have been distinguished for capacity and good conduct in the field; and eight regiments, to be composed of colored men, to be officered by officers of colored troops, who have served two years during the war, and who have been distinguished for capacity and good conduct in the field; provided that promotions in the colored regiments hereby authorized shall be confined to the regiments of that corps.

SEC. 5. That the volunteer officers to be selected by appointment under the provisions of this act shall be distributed as nearly as may be among the States, in proportion to the number of troops furnished during the war.

SEC. 6. That each regiment of infantry provided for by this act shall have one colonel, one lieutenant-colonel, two majors, one regimental commissary, one adjutant and one regimental quartermaster, who shall be first or second lieutenant; ten captains, ten first and second lieutenants, one sergeant-major, one quartermaster-sergeant, one hospital steward, one commissary-sergeant, two principal musicians, ten companies, and each company shall have one captain, one first and one second-lieutenant, one first sergeant, four sergeants, eight corporals, two artificers, two musicians, one wagoner and fifty privates. The number of privates may be increased to one hundred at the direction of the President whenever the exigences of the service require such increase.

SEC. 7.—That each regiment in the service of the United States may have a band as now provided by law, and there shall be one ordnance sergeant and hospital steward for each military post, and the same number of post chaplains as now provided by law, and the President of the United States is hereby authorized to appoint for the national cemetries already established or to be established, a superintendent with the rank, pay and emolument of an ordnance sergeant, to be selected from the non-commissioned officers of the regular army and volunteer forces who have received certificates of meritorious services during the war.

SEC. 8. That all enlistments into the army shall hereafter be for the term of five years, and that one major for each regiment shall be appointed when four companies shall have been organized; the lieutenant-colonel when six companies shall have been organized; and the colonel and second major when the organization of the regiment is completed; and that not more than one officer from each company shall be appointed to any regiment or company until the minimum number of men shall have been enlisted and the command duly organized; and that recruits may be collected at the general rendezvous in addition to the number required to fill the regiments and companies herein provided for, provided that the number does not exceed in the aggregate three thousand men.

SEC. 9. That there shall be one lieutenant-general, five major-generals and ten brigadier-generals, who shall have the same pay and emoluments, and be entitled to the same staff officers in number and grades as now provided by law.

SEC. 10. That the Adjutant-General's Department of the Army shall hereafter consist of the officers now authorized by law, viz.: one adjutant-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general; two assistant adjutant-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of colonels of cavalry; four assistant adjutant-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of lieutenant-colonels of cavalry, and thirteen assistant adjutant-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of majors of cavalry.

SEC. 11. That there shall be four inspector-generals of the army, with the rank and emoluments of colonels of cavalry, and eight assistant inspector-generals with the rank, pay and emoluments of lieutenant-colonels of cavalry.

SEC. 12. That the Bureau of Military Justice shall consist of one judge-advocate-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general, and one assistant judge-advocate-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a colonel of cavalry; and the said judge-advocate-general shall receive, revise and have recorded the proceedings of the courts-martial, courts of inquiry and military commissions of the armies of the United States, and shall perform such other duties as have heretofore been performed by the Judge-Advocate-General of the Armies of the United States.

SEC. 13. That the Quartermaster's Department of the army shall hereafter consist of one quartermaster-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general; three chief assistant quartermaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of brigadier-generals; three chief assistant quartermaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of brigadier-generals, four assistant quartermaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of colonels of cavalry; eight deputy quartermaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of lieutanant-colonels of cavalry; sixteen quartermasters, with the rank, &c., of majors of cavalry; and forty-eight assistant quartermasters, with the rank, &c., of captains of cavalry; and the vacancies hereby created in the grade of assistant quartermaster shall be filled by persons who have rendered meritorious service as assistant quartermaster of volunteers during two years of the war.

SEC. 14. That the number of military storekeepers in the Quartermaster's Department shall hereafter be as many as shall be required, not exceeding sixteen, with the same compensation as is now provided by law.

SEC. 15. That the provisions of the Act for the better organization of the Quartermaster's Department, approved July 4, 1864, shall continue in force for one year, and no longer, after the passage of this act.

SEC. 16. That the Subsistence Department of the army shall hereafter consist of the officers now authorized by law, viz: One commissary-general of subsistence, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general; two assistant commissary-generals, with the rank, &c., of colonels of cavalry; two assistant commissary-generals, with the rank, &c., of lieutenant-colonels of cavalry; eight commissaries of subsistence, with the rank, &c., of majors of cavalry; and sixteen commissaries of subsistence, with the rank, &c., of captains of cavalry.

SEC. 17. That officers of the line detailed to act as regimental quartermasters or commissaries, or as quartermasters or commissaries of permanent posts, or of commands of not less than two companies, shall, when the assignment is duly reported to and approved by the War Department, receive as extra compensation, while responsible for Government property, $10 per month.

SEC. 18. That the Medical Department of the army shall hereafter consist of one surgeon-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general; one assistant surgeon-general, with rank, &c., of colonel of cavalry; seventy-five surgeons, with rank, &c., of majors of cavalry; one hundred and fifty assistant surgeons, with rank, &c., of first lieutenants of cavalry for the first three years' service and of captains of cavalry after three years' service; and five med cal storekeepers, with the same compensation as is now provided by law; and two-thirds of the vacancies hereby created in the grades of surgeon and assistant surgeon shall be filled by selection, upon competent examination, from among the persons who have served as staff and regimental surgeons, or assistant surgeons, two years during the war; and one-third from similar officers of the regular army; and persons who have served as assistant surgeons three years in the volunteer service shall be eligible for promotion to the grade of captain; and the Secretary of War be and he is hereby authorized to appoint from the enlisted men of the army, and to cause to be enlisted as many competent hospital stewards as the service may require, to be permanently attached to the Medical Department, under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe.

SEC. 20. That upon the recommendation of the Surgeon-General the Secretary of War may detail a Surgeon as chief medical purveyor who, while performing such duty, shall be in charge of the principal purchasing and issuing depot of medical supplies and shall have the rank, &c., of a colonel of cavalry; and n t to exceed five medical officers as assistant medical purveyors who, while performing such duty in the different geographical divisions or departments, shall have the rank, pay, and emoluments of lieutenant-colonels of cavalry.

SEC. 20. That the Pay Department of the army shall hereafter consist of one paymaster-general, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general; two assistant paymaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of colonels of cavalry; two deputy paymaster-generals, with the rank, pay and emoluments of lieutenant-colonels of cavalry, and sixty paymasters, with the rank, pay and emoluments of majors of cavalry; and the vacancies hereby created in the grade of major shall be filled by selection from the persons who have served as additional paymasters two years during the war.

SEC. 21. That the Corps of Engineers shall consist of one chief of engineers, with the rank, pay and emoluments of a brigadier-general, six colonels, twelve lieutenants-colonels, twenty-four majors, thirty captains and twenty-six first and second lieutenants, who shall have the pay and emoluments now provided by law for officers of the engineer corps.

SEC. 22.—That the five companies of engineer soldiers, and the sergeant-major and quartermaster-sergeant, heretofore prescribed by law, shall constitute a battalion of engineers, to be officered by officers of suitable rank, detailed from the corps of engineers, and the officers of engineers acting respectively as adjutant and quartermaster of this battalion shall be entitled to the pay and emoluments of adjutants and quartermasters of cavalry.

SEC. 23. That the Ordnance Depot of the Army shall consist of the same number of offices and enlisted men as is now authorized by law, and the officers shall be of the following grades, viz.; one brigadier-general, three colonels, six lieutenant-colonels, twelve majors, twenty captains, twelve first-lieutenants, ten second lieutenants and thirteen military storekeepers, all of whom shall have the same pay and emoluments as now provided by law.

SEC. 24. That there shall be one chief signal officer of the army, who shall have the rank, pay and emoluments of a colonel of cavalry, and the Secretary of War shall have power to detail from the army, upon the recommendation of the chief signal officer, six officers, and not to exceed one hundred non-commissioned officers and privates, to be taken from the battalion of engineers for the performance of signal duty, provided that no officer or enlisted man shall be detailed to serve in the signal corps until he shall have been examined and approved by a military board, to be convened by the Secretary of War for that purpose; and officers, while so detailed, shall receive the pay and emoluments of cavalry officers of their respective order; and enlisted men, while so detailed, shall, when deemed necessary, be mounted upon horses, provided by the Government.

SEC. 25. That no officer of the Regular Army below the rank of a colonel shall hereafter be promoted to a higher grade before having passed a satisfactory examination as to his fitness for promotion and past record of services, before a board of three general officers, or officers of his corps or arm of service, senior to him in rank, and should the officer fail at said examination, he shall be suspended from promotion for one year, when he shall be reëxamined, and upon a second failure, shall be dropped from the rolls of the army; provided that if any officer be found unfit for promotion on account of moral disqualification, he shall not be entitled to a reëxamination.

SEC. 26. That the adjutant-general, quartermaster-general, commissary-general of subsistence, surgeon-general, paymaster-general, chief of engineers and chief of ordinance, shall hereafter be appointed by selection from the corps to which they belong.

SEC. 27. That no person shall be appointed to any vacancy created by this act in the pay, medical or quartermasters' departments, or be promoted to any higher grade therein until he shall have passed the examination required by the twenty-fifth secton of this act.

SEC. 28. That no person shall be commissioned in any of the regiments authorized by this act until he shall have passed a satisfactory examination before a board to be convened under direction of the Secretary of War, which shall inquire into the services rendered during the war, capacity and qualifications of the applicant, and such appointment when made shall be without regard to previous rank, but with sole regard to qualification and meritorious service.

SEC. 29. That persons applying for commissions in any of the regiments authorized by this act shall not be entitled to any compensation for expenses incurred in reporting to the Board for examination.

Mr. WILSON proposed an amendment, which was adopted as an additional section, authorizing the President of the United States to employ in the territories a force of Indians, not to exceed 1,000, to act as scouts, who shall receive the pay and allowances of cavalry.

Mr. WILSON offered the following as an additional section:

SECTION —. That section 35 of the act for enrolling and calling out the militia forces, which prohibits the payment of extra duty pay—to men of the army, is hereby repealed.

Mr. GRIMES, of Iowa, offered an amendment to the amendment—that the provisions of the original act, granting extra pay for extra duty, shall be extended to enlisted men in the navy.

The amendment and the amendment to the amendment were adopted.

Mr. NESMITH offered an additional section—that all officers who have so served in the volunteer or regular army, and have been honorably discharged, shall be entitled upon public occasions to wear the uniform of the highest rank they have held, by brevet or otherwise, in the service; which was adopted.

Mr. FESSENDEN moved to amend by striking out the words "and five additional regiments," in the fourth section, and insert in lieu thereof the words, "and thirteen regiments, eight of which shall be composed of colored men," and also to strike out the following from the close of the said section, to wit: "And eight regiments, to be composed of colored men officered by officers of colored troops, who have served two years during the war, and who have been distinguished for capacity and good conduct in the field."

Mr. FESSENDEN's amendment was adopted.

Mr. McDOUGAL moved to strike out the provision for colored troops, and called the yeas and nays on the adoption of his amendment.

The Senate refused to order the yeas and nays, and disagreed to the amendment.

Mr. GRIMES moved to strike out the proviso from the fourth section as follows:

Provided, That promotions in the colored regiments hereby authorized shall be confined to the regiments of that corps.

It was adopted.

Mr. FESSENDEN moved as an amendment to the fourth section the following proviso:

Provided, That in the selection of officers, officers of the regular army who have commanded volunteer troops may be accounted officers of volunteers of the rank they held as commanders of volunteers.

It was adopted.

Mr. POMEROY moved to amend the 14th section by providing that the compensation for military storekeepers shall be that of a captain of cavalry, and that he shall have the rank, pay, and emoluments of that officer.

It was adopted.

Mr. SHERMAN offered an amendment to go in before the last section as an additional section:

That to promote the knowledge of military science among the young men of the country, the President may, upon the application of any college or university capable of educating 150 students, detail an officer to act as President or Superintendent of such college, provided the number so detailed shall not exceed twenty at any time, and they shall be apportioned among the States according to population.

Mr. GRIMES suggested, as an amendment to Mr. SHERMAN's amendment, the insertion of the words "or professor" after the word Superintendent.

Mr. SHERMAN said his object was that no officer should be detailed for any college that was not willing to assume a *quasi* military character, and a mere professorship would not be sufficient.

The amendment of Mr. GRIMES was adopted.

Mr. SHERMAN's amendment, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. WILSON offered an amendment, as an additional section, changing the rate of mileage for officers traveling on public duty from six cents per mile to ten cents, when not furnished with transportation in kind. Adopted.

Mr. HENDRICKS wished to inquire of Mr. WILSON whether in this bill there was any provision made for the Veteran Reserve Corps.

Mr. WILSON said there was not.

Mr. HENDRICKS said that being the case, he would move to insert in the fourth section, after the words "capacity and good conduct in the field," the words "and ten of said regiments shall be officered by officers to be selected from the Veteran Reserve Corps." Mr. HENDRICKS spoke of the proposition he offered as an act of justice to men who had served faithfully, and to whom the promise of retention in the service had been held out.

Mr. FESSENDEN denied that the retention of the Veteran Reserve Corps had ever been promised by the Government. They were detailed for light and easy duty while needed, and, when no longer needed, the Government was free to muster them out. The officers of the Veteran Reserve Corps, Mr. FESSENDEN said, constituted a very small part of the officers wounded in the service—not more than one in twenty. The request of the Corps for retention he considered selfish and impudent. Under the present bill the Veteran Reserve officers would stand the same chance as other volunteer officers.

Mr. WILSON said that twenty-five regiments of Veteran Reserves were created with six hundred officers. Many of these officers were most excellent. They were organized for a special purpose. They had performed their duty well. Several of them were now employed by the Freedmen's Bureau. When he (Mr. WILSON) first introduced the Army Bill it provided that eight regiments should be composed of men who had been wounded in the service; the officers of which regiments should be selected from the Veteran Reserve Corps, or other officers of volunteers disabled in the service. His (WILSON's) idea was to organize seven or eight regiments of men who had been wounded, to be officered by the Veteran Reserve and other wounded officers, because the country was full of other officers who had not been in the Reserve Corps. But leading generals of the army were opposed to the provision, and it was stricken out.

Mr. HENDRICKS agreed to modify his amendment so as to embrace officers wounded in the service and not belonging to the Veteran Reserve Corps.

Mr. HENDRICKS' amendment was not adopted.

Mr. WADE moved to amend the second section so as to provide that two of the new cavalry regiments shall be colored troops.

Mr. WADE said experience had shown that colored troops were as good as white; and it was a noted fact that while the white regiments along the frontiers were being reduced by desertion there were no desertions from the colored regiments.

Mr. WILSON was in favor of the amendment of Mr. WADE, which he said was in the original bill. It would be economy to adopt it. The cavalry would be needed on the frontiers. And it was a fact that of the white regiments there thirty or forty per cent. had deserted. Colored troops hardly ever deserted; besides, colored men were excellent riders. Some of the best horsemen in the service were negroes recruited in Kentucky.

Mr. WADE's amendment was adopted.

Mr. KIRKWOOD moved so to amend the 6th section as to provide one major for each regiment of infantry instead of two. It was adopted.

The bill was then placed on its passage.

Mr. GRIMES demanded the yeas and nays, which were ordered, and the bill was passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Anthony, Buckalew, Chandler, Conness, Cragin, Fessenden, Foster, Guthrie, Johnson, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morgan, Morrill, Nesmith, Norton, Poland, Pomeroy, Ramsey, Sherman, Sprague, Stockton, Sumner, Trumbull, Van Winkle, Wade, Williams, Wilson—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Davis, Grimes, Harris, Kirkwood, Riddle—5.

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING—Messrs. Brown, Clark, Cowan, Creswell, Dixon, Doolittle, Foot, Henderson, Hendricks, Howard, Howe, McDougal, Nye, Saulsbury, Stewart, Wiley, Wright, Yates—18.

The bill now goes to the House.

THE REPORT OF THE RECONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE.

Mr. ANTHONY presented a resolution for the printing of ten thousand copies of the report of the Committee on Reconstruction for the use of the Senate, which was referred to the Committee on Printing.

THE ADMISSION OF COLORADO.

Mr. WILSON entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to order the bill for the admission of Colorado to a third reading.

THE NAVY APPROPRIATION BILL.

Mr. FESSENDEN gave notice that on to-morrow he should call up the Navy Appropriation Bill.

THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

Mr. TRUMBULL moved the concurrence of the Senate in the House amendment to the bill in relation to the Court of Claims.

The bill authorizes an appeal from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court. The House amendment requires the Clerk of the Court of Claims to transmit a copy of the decisions of the Court to the heads of Departments and certain other officers of the Government.

The House amendment was concurred in, and the bill, when signed by the President, will be a law.

THE MILITARY SYSTEM.

Mr. WILSON called up the bill to establish a uniform system of militia, pending the consideration of which, the Senate, on motion of Mr. GRIMES, went into Executive Session, and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

Mr. WILSON, of Iowa, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back the Senate bill in relation to the Court of Claims, with the following amendment as an additional section:

"That at the end of each Court of Claims the Clerk of said Court shall transmit a copy of the decisions thereof to the heads of Departments, the Solicitor, Comptroller and Auditors of the Treasury, the Commissioners of the General Land Office and of Indian Affairs, the Chiefs of Bureaus, and other officers charged with adjusting claims against the United States."

The amendment was agreed to, and the bill, so amended, was passed.

PERSONAL EXPLANTION.

Mr. SPALDING obtained leave to make a personal explanation. He observed by the report in the *Globe* that the joint resolution which he had introduced last Monday, touching the taxation of national currency, had been characterized by the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. STEVENS) as rank repudiation. Nothing could be further from his (Mr. SPALDING'.) mind than to infringe upon the national credit which he regarded as he did the apple of his eye. The object of his resolution was simply to permit greenbacks to be taxed in his State just as State bank notes have been heretofore taxed there. He did not intend his joint resolution to apply to the interest-bearing bonds of the Goverment.

Mr. STEVENS confessed that when he made the remark complained of, he was not aware of the object of the joint resolution, and had only followed the lead of the distinguished gentleman from Illinois, (Mr. WENTWORTH,) whom he was happy to follow. [Laughter.] He found, however, that the resolution was entirely different from what he thought it was, and, of course, his remark was entirely inapplicable.

LANDS FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS.

Mr. DONNELLY by unanimous consent, introduced a bill granting lands to the State of Minnesota for the establishment for the relief of disabled soldiers and sailors, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

HABEAS CORPUS.

The House resumed as the business of the morning hour, the bill reported yesterday by Mr. COOK, from the Judiciary Committee, amendatory of the act of March 3, 1863, relating to the *habeas corpus*, and regulating judicial proceedings in certain cases. The substitute reported by the Committee proposes to enact that any search, seizure, arrest or imprisonment made, or other trespasses, or wrongs done, or committed, or any acts omitted to be done during the rebellion, by any officer or person, under and by virtue of any order, written or sealed, general or special, issued by any military officer of the United States, holding the command of the department, district or place within which such seizure, search, arrest, or imprisonment was made, done or committed, or any acts was so omitted to be done, either by the person or officer to whom the order is addressed, or by any other person aiding or assisting him therein, shall be held and are declared to come within the purview of the act to which this is amendatory, and within the purview of the 4th, 5th and 6th sections of said act for all the purposes of defense, transfer, appeal, error or limitation provided therein.

Other sections of the bill relate to the defense to be made in such judicial proceedings.

Mr. COOK explained and advocated the bill. It embraced, he said, two principles, which were also embraced in the Habeas Corpus Act of 1833, approved and signed by President JACKSON. They were, first, that the United States shall protect its officers in executing its laws and maintaining its authority; and, second, that the question whether an officer was acting under the authority of the United States, shall be tested in the courts of the United States. These two principles, he conceived, could not be surrendered without surrendering the power of the American Government. He moved to recommit the bill.

Mr. HARDING, of Kentucky, opposed the bill, and made a speech to show how it could be used to protect the most despotic and outrageous acts of the United States officers and soldiers.

The morning hour having expired before the close of the remarks of Mr. HARDING, the bill went over until to-morrow.

THE FISHERIES.

Mr. PIKE asked leave to introduce the following resolution:

Whereas, The Governors of the several British Provinces have publicly warned our fishing fleets off the fishing grounds adjacent to their coasts, and have thus indicated a design to renew the unreasonable claims made by them prior to the negotiation of the Reciprocity Treaty, and to annoy our peaceful commerce; therefore,

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Navy be requested to send a naval force to the fishing grounds to protect our citizens in the enjoyment of their rights, as recognized by the Treaty of 1818.

Mr. BANKS, of Massachusetts—I have no objection to the resolution being referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. PIKE—I wish the action of the House on the resolution.

Messrs. BANKS, WENTWORTH and others objected to this.

Mr. PIKE—Then I withdraw the resolution for the present.

REVENUE REPORTS.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury transmitting a special report of the Revenue Committee on the relations of our foreign trade to our domestic industry and internal revenue; also, a report on proprietary and other medicines, perfumery, &c., as a source of national revenue.

The reports were referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

The Speaker presented joint resolutions of the Oregon Legislature in regard to imposing tax on mining claims, which was referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining. Also, joint resolutions of the same Legislature in reference to the annexation of Walla Walla County, of Washington Territory, to Oregon, which was referred to the Committee on Territories.

THE COLORED BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

Mr. JULIAN introduced a bill to incorporate the Colored Mutual Building Association, of Washington, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

THE EIGHT HOUR SYSTEM.

Mr. WHALEY asked leave to introduce resolutions reducing the hours of work in the public printing office to eight hours, which was objected to.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

The House went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. WILSON, of Iowa, in the Chair, and resumed the consideration of the joint resolution in reference to the Paris Exposition.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, addressed the Committee in opposition. He commenced by saying that he did not expect to obtain the attention of the Committee to what he would say, as the eloquent accents of the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. BANKS) had not yet died away on the ears of members. That gentleman was not mistaken in saying that he (Mr. WASHBURNE) was opposed to this measure; but it was to that opposition, it seemed, that they owed the pleasure of hearing the very eloquent, elaborate and well prepared speech of the gentleman (Mr. BANKS;) for the gentleman said he should not have made the speech had it not been for my opposition yesterday. He (Mr. WASHBURNE) opposed almost all measures of this character, which took the money of the people for the benefit of private interests. No one knew better than he the responsibility of attempting to thwart the interests of private individuals, or others, who undertook to put their arms into the public Treasury; but he admitted he was often in a minority on these questions. But, as was intimated the other day by the gentleman from New-York, (Mr. RAYMOND,) it was a luxury to be in a minority. It was so with him, and he (WASHBURNE) thrived on it. He had no interest to subserve but the interest of the common country, no objects to accomplish inconsistent with the public good. He was independent, and could act independently. He sought a continuance in public life no longer than his constituents were pleased to keep him in it. This measure was opening a new era in legislation. When the Exhibition took place in London, in 1861, and in Paris, in 1855, and when this country was prosperous and happy, and the Treasury was overflowing with money, no man had the impudence to come here and ask for an appropriation of the people's money for the benefit of a few individuals who wanted to exhibit their patent rights and gimcracks in the courts of Europe. But now, when the country had incurred a debt of three billions of dollars, Congress was asked in words of glowing eloquence—in thoughts that breathe and words that burn—to appropriate $400,000 for this purpose. He had the honor of representing the grand State of Illinois at the Industrial Exhibition of Paris in 1855, and had paid his own expenses. He had not gone to the State of Illinois, and the State of Illinois had not come to Congress, begging for an appropriation of money.

Mr. ROSS wanted to know if his colleague had not yesterday voted to print 25,000 copies of a campaign, alluding to the testimony taken before the Reconstruction Committee.

Mr. WASHBURNE—I cannot yield for questions of that kind. If the gentleman wishes to vote for this measure he can do so. I voted for the printing of no campaign document. Resuming his previous remarks, Mr. WASHBURNE said that the gentleman from Massachusetts yesterday, like a good military man, finding that his real position was weak, set up a tremendous cannonade all along the line, in order to divert public attention from the weak spot; and in the war of artillery and the shrieking of shells, the attention of the Committee had been somewhat diverted. Referring to the provision for the appointment by the President of ten scientific Commissioners, he expressed the hope that his distinguished friend from Pennsylvania (STEVENS) would not use his great influence with the President to get all these appointments. [Laughter.] He (WASHBURNE) would like to see his distinguished friend from Massachusetts (BANKS) appointed as a commissioner, because with his intelligence, his suavity of manner and his splendid deportment, he would do the country infinite credit at the French Court. If he (Mr. BANKS) would put on a swallow-tail coat, and white choker and knee-breeches, he would flourish in the *salons* of the Tuileries equal to any Frenchman in Paris. [Laughter.] It would be a very grand and comfortable thing for the gentleman (BANKS) to be there at the public expense. He could go and take his breakfast at the Trois Freres, or at Mary's, or at the Palais Royale. He could dine at the Maison Dorée, on the Boulevards des Italiens, and he could waltz with the little misses in their teens, at the Jardin des Fleurs, equal to the best of them. Then he could go to the Café Anglais and get a *petit souper*. [Laughter.] But there were other and nobler things that it would be worth while for a man to go to Paris for at the public expense. He could visit the magnificent galleries of Versailles, and admire the paintings that illustrate all the great historical events of France. He could go to the Place de la Concordé, formerly the Place de la Révolution, where, during the revolution, the best blood of France flowed in torrents. He could wander through the Boulevards and could visit the Place de la Bastille and the Jardin des Plants; and in the evening he could pass out through the Grand Arc de Triomphe to the Bois Boulogne; he could go to the prison of the Conciergerie, where the Girondists, the most eloquent and gifted and generous men in France,—were kept before they were brought to the block; and he could see where, after they were guillotined, their headless trunks were buried in pine boxes, at the cost of twenty-two francs each to the Republic. Who would not go to France and see these things at the public expense?

Mr. THAYER, of Pennsylvania, asked whether the gentleman thought that the Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs could do all that on a thousand dollars a year?

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, did not know that; but he did not think his friend from Massachusetts was very extravagant, and people could live very cheaply at Paris.

Mr. WASHBURNE sent to the Clerk and had read a letter from the Secretary of the Navy to the Chairman of Foreign Relations in the Senate, stating that the Navy Department could not perform the service required without inconvenience and embarrassment, and that it could not be properly performed for a much less sum than $300,000. He (Mr. WASHBURNE) was opposed to the measure for financial reasons, and he was opposed to it on the ground of our political relations with the Powers of Europe. Did not members know that this country had been scorned and spat upon and insulted by every nation in Europe, except one, during the late war?

Mr. SMITH would like to be informed whether an invitation had been sent to the Republic of Mexico to be represented at the Paris Exposition.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, replied that if any such invitation had been issued it had not reached him. He had no prejudice against the French, for French blood flowed in the veins of those nearest and dearest to him in the South. He could not forget the friendship of France—Bourbon France—to our country in the days of the Revolution, when old FRANKLIN with his shad-bellied coat was kissed by the ladies of the court of LOUIS Sixteenth. [Laughter.] He could not forget that France was the country of LAFAYETTE and ROCHAMBEAU, of DECHASTELLEUX and DELAROQUE, and that French soldiers fought with ours shoulder to shoulder, and elbows touching elbows, to achieve American Independence. He did not dislike France, but as for England, he did not feel any friendship for that haughty and arrogant nation. Still he could not overlook the conduct of France during our recent struggle. He could not forget with what indecent haste she accorded belligerent rights to red-handed rebels. He could not forget that in the darkest hour of our trials she had stabbed us in the most vital part, by planting her troops as a constant and eternal menace to us in the neighboring Republic of Mexico. He could not forget that she had placed an Austrian adventurer on the throne of Mexico, while we only recognized a republican Government there. It had struck him with surprise yesterday to hear the gentleman from Massachusetts say that LOUIS NAPOLEON desired a war with this country. He could not believe it. If that were so he could be accommodated in the smallest possible space of time. France was not as blameable as England, perhaps; but, if this Exposition were to be held in London instead of in Paris, the same proposition would be made to Congress, and he supposed his friend from New-York (Mr. RAYMOND) would support it, although the commerce of this city was driven from the seas by English-Confederate pirates. If NAPOLEON desired war with this country, it would be humiliating for us to be represented at the Paris Exhibition. Referring to the eloquent encomiums of Mr. BANKS on our naval and military heroes, he said that others shared with him (Mr. BANKS) in the glories of FARRAGUT, PORTER, DUPONT and FOOTE, men whose march is on the mountain wave, whose home is on the deep; and in the glories of the army too. Others would share in the glories of that unrivaled soldier from his own State, who, after leading our armies through the wilderness of civil war to a final triumph, might yet, in the providence of God, lead the loyal millions to a civil victory. As to the baggage-wagon alluded to by the gentleman from Massachusetts, it would become historical. He had an interest, too, in that baggage-wagon, but a little different from that of his friend from Massachusetts. Instead of sending that wagon to the Champ de Mars, he would propose to send it to the halls of the Montezumas; and instead of sending out plain republican uniform, [illegible] on so many glorious battlefields, to be sneered at by the flunkies in Europe, he would propose to put them on our noble soldiers and let them follow the wagon, or rather not wait for the wagon going in the same direction. He was opposed, as an American, to the whole proposition. He trusted the American feeling would predominate here to-day and that Congress would announce to all Christendom the position in which we stood, that having put down the greatest rebellion known in history, having restored and regenerated the Union, having reached a status above all other nations, we will not lower our dignity or our position by passing such a measure as this.

Mr. CHANLER next addressed the Committee. He said he was in favor of all schemes of this character, tending to develop the spirit of amity, and to advance the dignity of labor in the right direction for the benefit of all men, and especially for the interests of the laboring classes. But he had objections to the manner in which the proposition had been advanced, and to the arguments by which it had been sustained. He admitted the great importance, usefulness and he might say necessity, of this country being represented at the Great European National Exhibition; but he thought that the arguments made in connection with the bill were ill-timed, unfortunate and irrelevant. He regarded the assault of the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. WASHBURNE) on the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. BANKS) as without reason and in bad taste. The gentleman from Illinois was, evidently, wounded in his self pride by a want of due attention paid to him during his late visit to the French capital. He did not know how a gentleman who spoke such very bad French should have shown such an intimacy with the best classes of French society, and he hoped that the gentleman from Massachusetts would not be seen always with the gentleman from Illinois on the Boulevard des Italiens. He held that as guests we should not cavil at the form of the invitation; but it was evident that this Paris Exposition was a scheme in the interest of the Government and present dynasty of France, and not directly in the interest of labor either in France or elsewhere. The immense sums which visitors to the Exposition would spend in Paris would be so much paid to French shop-keepers. Still, he thought that the competition to which our people were invited would not fail to produce mutual advantage. The ingenuity of the American mechanic would secure a large addition to our domestic manufactures. He hailed this as an opportunity to break down the somewhat exclusive policy of European Governments, which, by stringent laws, kept the secrets of special guilds concealed so as to prevent fair competition. He regretted that the people of the United States, the only sovereign here, had not been deemed worthy of an invitation which had been given only to the Government; but there was some consistency on the part of European Governments in ignoring the people. He doubted whether France would accept an invitation from this Government that would in any way wound the pride of the French people, or that could be construed into a denial of the great fundamental principle of French Government. The French Emperor did not wish to recognize the people of this Union, and there was strong disposition on the part of wealthy and ambitious men here to submit to the somewhat insolent customs of European aristocracy. The American people love a Democracy and asked no favor; but they could not quietly brook the polite insolence of France. On the whole, however, Mr. CHANLER favored the passage of the bill.

Mr. GRINNELL next addressed the Committee in support of the joint resolution. His apology for doing so, he said, was that the Agricultural Committee, of which he was a member, had recently passed a resolution to the effect that they desired that the agricultural interests of the country should be represented at the Paris Exposition. He could not follow the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. WASHBURNE) in his declaration of war against France on account of Mexico, but he would follow him with all his heart in his efforts at retrenchment and economy. He also honored him for his devotion to the great Captain, and hoped that that military leader would be the future leader of the American people in time of peace as he had been in time of war.

Mr. SPALDING inquired whether the gentleman from Iowa indorsed the nomination of the Lieutenant-General made by the gentleman from Illinois.

Mr. GRINNELL—If the time shall ever come that Gen. GRANT is nominated by the unconditional Union stand-the-fire party of the country I will sustain the nomination and do my best toward securing his election as President of the United States.

Mr. SPALDING—That is all. I am glad to hear it.

Mr. RADFORD desired to know whether the gentleman from Iowa was speaking to the bill before the Committee or was making a political speech.

Mr. GRINNELL apologized for being led off on a side matter. He gave notice that he would offer an amendment to reduce the number of Scientific Commissioner from ten to five. He indorsed the measure as one the carrying out of which would tend to the increase of immigration to those States, thereby rendering lands more valuable and increasing the prosperity of the country.

Mr. WOODBRIDGE, after severely criticizing the argument of Mr. WASHBURNE, said that while Congress should observe the strictest economy, he was nevertheless in favor of this proposition. The question to be decided was not one as to our relations with Europe, but whether the project had in itself enough virtue to justify Congress in making the appropriation. He believed that it had, and therefore should vote for the bill. He believed that the proposition was just to the great industrial interests of the country, and that its results would be beneficial to the nation, and the best promoter of peace between America and Europe. For the last five or six years, England and all continental Europe, except Russia, had predicted, in view of the immense numbers of men taken from the field and workshops to fill our armies, that the industrial pursuits of the nation would all languish, that the hammer would no longer sound on the anvil, that the shuttle would no longer fly within its loom, that steam and water would no longer revolve the wheels of our factories, that the plow would rest in the furrow, and the scythe and sickle would hang upon the tree, that on our prairies, on which we had heretofore raised grain enough to feed the people of Europe, from the Queen upon the throne to the humblest beggar in the streets of Dublin, would grow up briers and thistles, and that famine would follow the footsteps of our armies. He wanted to show the people of Europe how these predictions had been falsified. Even now they were astonished at the failure of their predictions. They had seen two million of men going from farm and shop to shoulder muskets, and they had seen our little navy, that might have hid itself in the smallest harbor of the Atlantic Coast, springing up in the most magnificent fleet that ever threw its banner to the breeze; they had seen these soldiers and seamen better paid, better fed and better clothed than the soldiers and seamen of any other nation on the earth—while, during this exhausting process, the industrial interests of the country had gone on; the looms of the country had been quadrupled; the plow had extended its furrows, and the great prairies of the West had produced more wheat and corn and pork and beef than any year prior to the war. They had seen all this, and they had seen that a great people could live without an emperor or a king; that a republican form of government, based upon intelligence, was progressive and indestructible, and that the national flag was now floating in triumph and protecting four millions of men from whom the shackles had been broken.

Speaking of the effect of passing the bill, he said that a hundred sheep would be sent to the Exposition from his own State, that would be purchased to improve the finest flocks of Spain, France and Germany; that the American plow, and ax, and shovel, and hoe, and spade, would again bear off the palm,—that the Western reaper, with its modern improvements, would again excite the envy, admiration and wonder of all Europe, and that our machinery, with the improvements made during the war, would convince Europe that we were not only great in war, but that we were still greater in the arts of peace. The appropriation commended itself to his judgment, and he should take the responsibility of voting for it.

Mr. RAYMOND said that, as a member of the Committee of Foreign Affairs, he thought it not in appropriate to reply briefly to the objections of the gentleman from Illinois, Mr. WASHBURNE, although he was somewhat embarrassed in doing so, for it was very much like taking up arms against a sea of words. Mr. RAYMOND proceeded to animadvert very severely upon the means whereby Mr. WASHBURNE sought to obtain a reputation for economy in public expenditures. Speaking of his remarks in reference to Mr. BANKS, Mr. RAYMOND said the gentleman gave us this morning a graphic description of what he supposes to be the duties of a scientific commissioner. He was to breakfast here; dine there; sup somewhere else, and visit all the places of note and distinction. He gave us his description evidently with the view not only of astonishing us, but of astonishing all congregated Europe with his accomplishments. I trust that he will go back to Paris and present himself as the greatest exemplar and model that the American Republic for seventy-five years has produced. I venture that if he will go there arrayed in the full panoply of his eloquence, and, win ing the American flag around him, will make such a speech as he made to-day, his accomplishments will astonish Europe as Europe has never been astonished before. I do not know that it is fair to ask him to volunteer. But in that particular line we will find no scientific commissioner who can do so much justice to his evident conception of the duties of such commissioner as himself. [Laughter.] Mr. RAYMOND, in referring to a suggestion made by Mr. GRINNELL, in regard to reducing the number of commissioners, explained that the range of industrial pursuits had been classified into ten classes, and no person could be expected to attend to more than one of these classes. As to Mr. WASHBURN's statement that we had been insulted by France, Mr. RAYMOND denied that there was any foundation for the assertion. This nation was not in the habit of submitting to insult from any nation great or small. Different policies had been pursued by European nations, which we had considered inimical to our interests. But not one nation had dared at any point in our great contest to insult the flag of the United States on sea or on land. And the time was far distant when any one of them would venture to do it. We had had difficulties with France and England, and our complaints were on file against them. We had summoned them to correct the injustice done us. That great controversy was still in progress. Nations did not settle accounts in a hurry.

Mr. HARDING, of Illinois, asked whether there had not been a waiver of the demand. He understood the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. BANKS) to say that battles were to be fought in future with brains.

Mr. RAYMOND—No, Sir; that controversy is still

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MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—MARCH 14, 1866.

$1,000 U. S. 6s, '68 C...	117½	15 N. Y. Central.......	92
15,000 U.S.6s,5-20s.C.'62	103¼	500 do.........	92¼
5,000 U.S.6s,5-20s.R.'65	103⅜	300 do.........	92½
25,000 U.S.5s, 10-40s...C	90⅞	1100 do.........	92⅝
12,000 Tr. Notes, 7 3-10s.		400 do.........	92¼
First Series....	100	200 do.........	92⅜
14,000 do...Sec. Ser.	99⅞	300 do.......2d call	92⅛
20,000 do. Third Ser.	99⅝	300 do.........	92⅝
2,000 Tenn. 6s, '90...	87	200 do.......b10	92¾
5,000 N. Car. 6s......	81	300 do.......s10	92⅝
10,000 do.......s15	81	200 do.........	92⅜
15,000 do.......s15	80½	6 Mich. S. & N.I....	76
10,000 do.....2d call	81	1500 do.........	77¾
3,000 Virginia 6s......	68	1000 do.........	77⅞
7,000 do.........	69	2000 do.........	78
11,000 Missouri 6s......	72	500 do.......2d call	78¼
5,000 do......2d call	72⅜	100 do.......s60	76
2,000 O. & M. Cer....	25	500 Ill. Central R....	118¾
10,000 do.........	25⅛	100 do.......s30	118
4,000 Erie 2d M. '79....	100	1000 Cleve. & Pitts....	78
1,000 B.,N.Y.& E.1stM	93	1200 do.........	78⅛
3,000 C.&N.W.S.F.Bs..	87	600 do.........	78⅜
1,000 Chi. & N. W. 1st..	78½	1200 do.........	78¾
5,000 do.........	79	2500 do.........	78⅜
2,000 N. J. Cen.1st....	100	200 do.......2d call	78⅞
1,000 To.&W.1stM.Ex.	85	20 Cleve.,Col.& Cin.R.	111½
5,000 Tol. & Wab. 2d..	73½	1000 Chic. & N. W.....	27⅜
5,000 St.L.J.& C.1stM.	90½	500 do.........	27⅜
5,000 Am. Gold......	130⅞	150 do.........	27⅜
50 Phenix Bank......	97	100 do.......2d call	27⅜
200 Canton Co......	44¼	1000 Chic. & N. W.P....	54⅜
400 do......2d call	44¾	100 do.......s10	54½
250 West. Union Tel...	68	200 Clev. & Tol......	107⅞
40 West. U. Tel. Rus. Extension......	109	100 Chi. & R. I......s60	107½
100 Del. & Hud. C....	134½	500 Pitts., F.W.& C....	92
300 Mariposa Pref.....	18	1500 do.........	92½
50 Pac. M. Scrip.....	190	700 do.........	92⅜
800 Erie R.........	83	1000 do.......s15	92
10 Erie R. Pref.....	81	300 do.........	92
100 Hud. Riv. R.....	104	500 do.......2d call	92¼
2500 Reading R......	99½	653 Del., Lack. & W...	128½
1000 do.........	99⅝	100 Chic. & Alt. Pf....	115½
100 Mich. Cen. R....s60	100⅞	200 do.........	115¾

1 O'CLOCK BOARD.

$32,000 US.6s.5-20s.C '63	103½	400 Mariposa Pr........	18
2,000 U. S. 6s, '81.Cou.	104⅜	1000 Clev. & Pitts......	78¼
100 Cum. Coal Pr......	43¼	100 Cleve. & Tol........	107¾
100 New-York Cen..b10	92¼	100 M. S.& N. I. R.....	78¼
25 do............	92	1130 do............	78⅜
400 do............	92¼	400 Chic. & N. W......	27⅜
500 Erie Railroad......	83⅜	100 do............	27⅜
100 do.........b10	83½	200 C. & N. W. P.......	54⅛
1000 Reading R........	99½	300 do............	54⅜
200 do.........s30	99⅛	200 P., Ft. W.& C......	92
200 do.........s30	99¼	100 do.........b30	91⅞
200 do............	99⅝		

2½ O'CLOCK BOARD.

$10,000 US.6s,5-20s.C.'62	103½	100 Hud. Riv. R.......	104
6,000 U. S.5s, 10-40s.C.	90⅞	500 Reading R........	99¾
120,000 do............	91	3500 do............	99⅞
5,000 U.S. 6s,5-20s.C.'64	103⅝	1000 do.........b30	100⅛
3,600 Tr. Notes, 7 3-10s.		500 M. S. & N. I. R....	78½
First Series....	99⅞	300 do............	78⅜
1,000 do.....2d Ser.	99½	40 Mich. Cen. R.......	101⅝
20,000 Tenn. 6s, '90.....	89	200 Ill. Cen. R........	119
10,000 Missouri 6s......	73	800 Chi. & N. W........	27½
25,000 do............	73½	200 Chi. & N.W.Pr.....	54½
200 Cum. Coal Pr......	43½	400 do............	54⅝
400 New-York Cen	92¾	100 Cleve. & Tol.......	107¾
500 do.........s30	92¼	100 Chic. & Rk. Is.. s30	108
200 do............	92⅞	300 P., Ft.W. & C......	91¾
100 Erie Railroad......	83½	400 do............	91⅝
400 do............	83⅝	100 Alt. & T. H........	31½

OPEN BOARD—10 A. M.

$10,000 O. & M. Cer.s3	24⅞	1300 Erie R...........c	82¾
700 N. Y. Cen.........	91¾	400 do...........c	82⅞
500 do............	92	100 Reading R........	99⅝
1200 Mich. S. & N. L...	77⅝	100 T. H. & Alt........	31
300 do...........c	77¾	100 do............	31½
900 do...........c	77⅞	1100 Chic. & R. I......	108½
200 do..........s3	77¾	300 Chi. & N. W.......	27½
100 do............	77⅞	300 do..........b3	27¾
400 do..........b3	78	100 do............	27¾
100 do..........s3	77⅞	100 do..........s3	27¾
1600 do............	78	200 do...........c	27¾
100 do...........c	78	100 do..........b3	27⅝
400 Cleve. & Pitts......	77½	200 Chic. & N. W. P....	54⅞
500 do..........s3	77½	100 do..........s3	54½
200 do............	77¾	100 do...........c	54¾
600 do............	78	100 do...........c	54⅞
400 do..........s3	78	100 P., F. W. & C......	91¾
500 do............	78¼	100 do............	91⅞
200 do............	78⅛	100 do...........c	91⅞
200 do..........s3	78⅛	100 do..........s3	91⅞
1000 do.........s60	77		

OPEN BOARD—1 P. M.

600 Maryland A. C.....	17½	100 N. Y. Cen.........s3	92½
100 Quick. M. Co.......	41	1900 do..........b3	92⅛
100 Mariposa Pref.....	18⅛	100 do...........c	92½
300 do..........s3	18⅛	600 Cleve. & Pitts.....	78½
300 Erie Railroad....s3	83⅜	1200 do..........s3	78⅜
400 do...........c	83⅜	1300 do..........s3	78¼
100 do..........b3	83⅝	200 do..........b3	78¼
100 do.........s30	82¾	1200 do............	78¼
200 Reading R........	99½	200 Chic. & R. Is...s3	108½
300 do..........s3	99⅛	100 do..........s5	108½
100 do..........b5	99½	200 Chic. & N.W.....b3	27¼
200 do...........c	99½	100 do..........s5	27½
200 M. So. & N. I......	78⅜	100 do............	27½
100 do..........b3	78⅜	100 do..........b3	27½
1200 do............	78⅝	100 Chic. & N.W. P....	54½
100 do..........s3	78⅜	100 do............	54⅝
1500 do............	78½	600 do..........b3	54¾
600 do..........b3	78½	300 P., F. W. & C. ...s3	91⅞
400 do...........c	78⅛	100 do...........c	91⅞
300 do..........s3	78⅜	100 do..........s3	91¾
500 do..........b3	78⅝	100 do............	91¾

OPEN BOARD—3½ P. M.

100 Erie R............	83⅛	500 Mar. Pref.........s3	18¼
100 do............	83⅜	100 do............	18¼
400 do..........s3	83⅜	400 N. Y. Central....b3	92½
100 do.........s15	83	200 Cleve. & Pitts.....	77⅞
600 Reading R........	100	500 do.........b30	78
2200 do............	100⅛	1100 do............	77¾
200 do..........b3	100¼	600 do..........b8	77¾
200 do.........b10	100¼	500 do.........s10	77⅞
900 do............	100⅜	200 do............	77⅝
2400 do............	100½	100 Chi. & N. W.......	27½
1500 do.........b3	100⅛	200 do............	27⅛
500 do.........s30	100	100 do..........b3	27⅜
300 M. S. & N. I......	78⅜	100 P.F. W.& C.......	91¼
200 do..........s3	78⅜	100 do............	91⅛
800 do............	78⅞	100 do..........s3	91⅛
200 do..........b3	78⅞		

WEDNESDAY, March 14—P. M.

The price of Gold fluctuated between 130⅞@131 ℘ cent. to-day, showing a partial advance over the closing sales last night, but leaving off barely steady. The one day's later news from England has again advanced the credit and will soon enhance the supply of Exchange drawn against Cotton, and the difference between Southern Bank bills and the standard New-York signatures is reduced to ¼@¾ ℘ cent. While a panic in Cotton at Liverpool was looked for some weeks ago, the difference was much wider and Merchant bills very much depressed.

The market for Money is easier to Wall-street to-day than at any time since the turn of rates from 7 ℘ cent. A large amount is now loaned by private banking-houses at 5 ℘ cent., subject, of course, to call, and 6 ℘ cent. is the rule at Bank and between the Brokers themselves. The first effect of this increasing ease is seen in a large daily business in Government securities, only a very partial amount of which is reported from the Stock Exchange, the private transactions at the counters of the great dealers on Wall-street being much more active and important.

A second or collateral influence begins to be felt upon the general Stock Exchange dealings, which are increasing in volume and strengthening in prices. The New-York lines and Reading and the Western roads had a further advance to-day, and while the speculation fluctuated ½@1 ℘ cent. in the afternoon, the prevailing temper of the market is in the direction of firmness. The Joint Resolution moved by Mr. SHERMAN yesterday is received as an index of the feeling in Congress against any immediate disturbance of the Greenback Currency, which it is found, by the experience of the last few months, can appreciate and Gold settle down, without contraction, and on the improved Exchanges of the country. The consequent accumulation of Gold at this commercial centre, is such that even if the Exchanges should turn later in the season, there is an abundant surplus for export after the Cotton and other Produce bills are found to be inadequate for the settlement of Foreign balances.

Late in the afternoon the excitement in the Railway speculation was on the increase, and begins to be more generally diffused throughout the list than a few days ago while mainly confined to what many of the bearish operators believed to be mere clique movements on Erie and Michigan Southern. The first decided turn took place in Reading and Pittsburgh to-day. On New-York Central the market for the moment is less decided, and various ups and downs may be looked for on the Albany telegrams, should the bill to relieve the Company from the restriction to two cents a mile on all passenger trains, express as well as accommodation, be moved, as we suppose it soon will be, *and in a form less objectionable to the Governor than the bill of last session*, from which he withheld his approval.

	Tues.	Wed.		Tues.	Wed.
U. S. 10-40s.......	90⅞	91	Missouri 6s.......	72	73¾
U. S. 5-20s........	103½	102⅝	Northwest........	26⅝	27¼
U. S. 7.30s........	100	100	N. West Pref......	54	54½
N. Y. Central....	91⅝	92½	Rock Island......	108¼	108½
Erie..............	82⅞	82½	Fort Wayne.......	91¼	91⅞
Hudson...........	103¾	103¾	Cumb'land Coal.	42½	43
Reading..........	99	101¼	Quicksilver......	40½	41
Mich. Southern..	77¼	78¾	Mariposa.........	11⅝	11¾
Illinois Central..	118¼	118½	Canton...........	43⅝	44¼
Pittsburgh.......	77	77⅝	Ohio Certificates	24⅞	25⅛
Prairie du Chien	96	96	American Gold	130	130⅞
Tennessee 6s....	84	89	Bills on London	108½	108¼

The following bids were made for the City Bank Shares:

New-York...........	112	Irving..............	108
Manhattan..........	130	Metropolitan........	120
Merchants'..........	111	People's............	112
America.............	137	Corn Exchange.......	110
Phenix..............	96	St. Nicholas.........	100
North River.........	120	Commonwealth.......	100
Seventh Ward.......	105	Importers' & Traders'	101½
Commerce...........	105	Park................	151
Ocean...............	94½	Manufac. & Merch'ts	100
American Exchange	111	Fourth National.....	97
Bank of Republic...	109	Ninth National......	107½
Bank of N. America	106	Oriental Bank.......	125
Hanover.............	108		

And the following for the Railway mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, 1883......	91½	Chi. & N. W. S. F.......	[illegible]
N. Y. Cen. 7s, 1876......	101	Han. & St. Jo. Land G.	[illegible]
N. Y. Cen.7s, '76 con....	101	Lack. & West'n Bonds.	97
Erie 1st M., '68..........	98	Del. L. & W. 1st M....	101
Erie 7s, 2d mort., '79....	99	Tol. & Wab. 1st M.....	85
Erie 7s, 3d mort., '83...	95	Tol. & Wab. 1st M. Ex	85
Erie 7s, 4th mort., 1880..	94	Tol. & Wab. 2d M.......	73
Erie 7s, 5th mort., 1888..	93	Mil. & Pr. du Ch. 1st M.	96
Buf. N. Y & E. 1st M. '77.	93	N. J. Central 1st M.....	100
Hud. R. 7s, 1st M '69....	99	Pitts., Ft.W.& C.1st M.	98
Hud. R. 7s, 2ds. S.F. '85.	100½	Pitts.,Ft.W.& Ch., 2d.	91
Hud. R. 7s, conv., '67...	96	Pitts.,Ft.W.& Ch., 3d..	75
Harlem 3d mort., '68....	94	Cleve & Pitts. 2d Mort.	90
Mich. C.nw 1st M.8s 82.	111	Miss. & Mo. L. G. 1st M	46
Mich. So. 7 ℘ c. 2ds.....	89	Chic. & Alton S. F......	93
N. Ind. Gosh. Line '68..	91	Ohio & Miss. 1st M......	78
Ill. Cen. 7 p. c. 1875....	106	Mil. & St. Paul 1st M....	82
Alton & T. H. 1st M....	86	Mil. & St. Paul 2d M....	71
Alton & T. H. 2d M. in.	73	Chi. & Mil. 1st M.......	84

Since the heavy abstraction of U. S. Stocks from the safe of Mr. RUFUS L. LORD, last week, an active exchange of Coupon Bonds for Registered Stock, which can be made at Washington, free of charge, is going on. The holders of 5-20 coupons should make the change on or before the 31st March, to have the May interest registered in their names and to avoid the delay of a month in getting back Certificates of Stock, as the transfers will close on the 31st inst., not to reopen until May 1. The May coupon should not be cut off, unless the owner of the Bonds is willing to await the return of the Registered Stock until after the 1st May. The Coupon 10-40 and 1881 Bonds can be exchanged at any time, the Registered Stock carrying interest from the last Dividend days.

It is much to be regretted, for his own sake, that Mr. FREEMAN CLARKE, of the Currency Bureau, in the Treasury Office at Washington, should so frequently travel out of his *official* way to place his *private* views before the country on questions wholly foreign to the business of his office. Whether he places himself in antagonism to the Country National Banks by joining the Assorting Scheme which signally failed last Fall in the New-York Clearing House, or to the Secretary of the Treasury in his annual report to Congress, or to the Secretary of the Treasury in the more recent details of his administration, his extra-official letters are unseemly and wretchedly out of taste as well as impertinent. Our personal respect for Mr. CLARKE induced us last Fall to say nothing of his tender of service to the New-York enemies of the Country National Banks, to the infinite delight of the chiefs of this party and their Democratic organ, and also to remain silent on his extraordinary "views" of currency, finance, and trade balances, in his so-called "Report" of the 1st December to Congress. But his last most indecorous attack upon the administration of the Treasury, which appeared in one of the morning papers to-day, compels the expression of regret at the temper, and surprise at the palpable blunders of his letter. If we had not known Mr. CLARKE as an intelligent banker, we should add that these blunders denote an ignorance of Treasury accounts and official detail wholly unworthy the head of any subordinate bureau in the Department. As it is, we must ascribe some of them to a captious, not to say reckless purpose to impeach the conduct of the Treasury by Mr. MCCULLOCH. He charges that the monthly statements of the latter are incorrect and underrated as to the sums of Money in the Treasury, forgetting that the statement is necessarily compelled to show the balances subject to the draft and control of the U. S. Treasurer, at the close of each month, in order to arrive at the real condition of the Public Debt, for the popular information, and that to add in the deposits placed to the credit of Disbursing Officers all over the country, in five or six Sub-Treasuries, and perhaps forty or more National Banks, would be as great an act of folly and deception in figures as the addition of $15,000,000 for the *imaginary* premium on the Gold in the Treasury to the sum total which Mr. CLARKE asserts to have been *in* the Treasury on the 1st March. This sum total he makes by this singular addition of fifteen millions of dollars, $170,000,000. Without it, by including the Money to the credit of disbursing officers, taken out of the United States Treasurer's account, he makes the sum of $154,000,000, or $38,000,000 more than stated in the schedule of the Public Debt. Of this difference of $38,000,000, it is only necessary to say that over $14,000,000 was in the New-York Office alone on the 1st March to show how readily the remainder could be accounted for without leaving the smallest shadow of suspicion on the correctness of Mr. Secretary MCCULLOCH's table.

Again: Mr. CLARKE charges that the Secretary has no law for buying and converting 7-30 ℘ cents or Compound Notes before maturity. He admits the latter may be converted, before they are due, but there is no law for buying them! A brief reference to the plenary authority for buying and exchanging any other Government obligations in his discretion and when he may deem to the advantage of the Treasury in the Act of 11th of July, 1862, and to the equally wide and discretionary authority in the Act of 3d of March, 1865, for funding all these obligations *at any time*, should have satisfied Mr. CLARKE, (if his knowledge of the good sense and integrity and respect for law of Mr. MCCULLOCH had failed to satisfy him,) that neither law nor official duty had been violated, nor the true interest and economy of the Treasury and the public credit neglected. Had he omitted to purchase $10,000,000 or $12,000,000 of United States 7-30 ℘ cent. in the open market in a season of temporary depression when they had fallen to 96½@97½ ℘ cents and when he could readily do so out of his current balances, or had he refused to convert on terms acceptable to the Treasury—similar to the larger conversion of $50,000,000—$6,000,000 of compound notes, he might have been charged with a neglect of his opportunities under both the acts referred to.

Our neighbor of the *Journal of Commerce* is half a convert to the sales of the surplus Gold from Customs in the Treasury. Last Summer he was against selling at all. He wanted the Government to hold on and let the market price of Gold and sales of Foreign Exchange, and the Importers who had about half a million to buy every day for Customs, *all to take care of themselves!* Had such advice been acted upon by the Government, Gold from 145 ℘ cent. would soon have gone up to 160 or 170 ℘ cent. We heard intelligent merchants, soon after the steady sales of the Assistant Treasurer had checked the speculation for a rise in the Gold-room, express the belief that the Customs alone, if hoarded until the November Gold Interest fell due, would have carried the price to 200 ℘ cent. As heretofore repeatedly shown, the Treasury held the price in the close neighborhood of 145 for nearly six months. Since New-Year, and to about the 24th of February, the sales have been between 140@137¼ ℘ cent. No March sales have been made from the Treasury. The open market has gone down 6@8 ℘ cent. on the effect of heavy resales by other parties who bought with great eagerness from the Government, on the calculation of unfavorable money and cotton news from Europe, which failed to come. This disappointment turned the prevailing account in the Gold-room from *Bull* to *Bear*. The Room sold heavily *short* of Gold, after buying eight or ten millions *long* from the Treasury.

Now our neighbor seems to be more outraged against the Government because Gold has gone down 6@8 ℘ cent. on its last sales than if the speculators in the Gold Room, after "bailing out" the Treasury at 137¼ ℘ cent., had run up the price to 145 ℘ cent. again. He insists that the quiet sales, though confessedly made on the market, and at no greater cost than one-eighth of one ℘ cent. brokerage to the Treasury, should be stopped, and hereafter, if necessary, made openly, every Monday morning, to the highest bidder; the amount to be sold, and the ability and purpose of the Government to supply the demand, *being first proclaimed through the newspapers!* Nothing, of course, could please the Gold-Room speculators better than such a change as this. They could shape their "pools" or combinations to a fraction, buy all the Gold offered, and then for a week to come control the market in their own way, and repeat the operation the following Monday. The practical effect would be even worse than the experiment of Mr. CHASE and Mr. CISCO, in the Spring of 1864, of stopping the Customs demand within ¼ of 1 ℘ cent. of the market, as regulated by the fluctuations of the Gold Room, and that worked so badly it had to be given over in a few days, and an arbitrary rate of 165 ℘ cent. fixed for Customs, while Gold was running up to 175@180 ℘ cent. in the open market. *That*, too, had to be stopped in a week, as the Monday morning Auction sales, if resorted to, would have to be soon stopped. The Government, we dare say, will try no such experiment.

The Money writer for the *Tribune*, having suddenly revised and reversed his opinion of the Michigan Southern Railway property and its finances, perhaps he will not object to take back some very unjust and gratuitous things which he has written of the Fort Wayne. He ought to do so to-morrow, when we assure him that we have sufficient authority for saying that there is no truth whatever in his report or rumor that the stock of the Company is to be increased, under inducement of an extra scrip dividend, or in any other way, at the annual meeting on the 21st inst. The line and its equipment are in excellent condition, and any further expenditures on either, if needed by an increased business hereafter, will be met by current earnings over and above the 10 ℘ cent. a year now paid to the stockholders.

We believe the *Tribune* writer does no more than justice to the finances of the Michigan Southern. His figures are official for the eleven months of the Fiscal Year ending the 1st March. The pamphlet report for the whole year we understand will be out in the course of the next fortnight, with the general balance sheet of the Company. For the eleven months of the last year $490,476 was gained on the gross traffic of 1864, of which $218,294 was in net profit to the shareholders. The financial improvement during the year is understood to have been important in settling and greatly reducing the Guaranteed Stock interest in the Road. The total of this interest we hear is now down to less than $11,000.

The joint resolution moved by Mr. SHERMAN, of Ohio, in the United States Senate, is responsive to the prevailing sentiment of the country so far as our old Greenback Legal-Tender Circulation is concerned. This feeling is most decidedly against the withdrawal of the Greenbacks which bear no interest, or the repeal or any interference with their legal-tender value and popular usefulness. On the other point of the resolution, the very gradual contraction—$5,000,000 per month of the Compounds—there may be a reasonable difference of opinion and views. The other propositions to reduce the idle balances in the Treasury by paying off the deposits and other interest-bearing debt within reach of the Secretary, and to make the whole resolution operative for at least a year to come, (in other words, to give assurance of something like a steady policy,) we believe will be received with general favor.

The day's business at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of the United States was as follows: Receipts, $1,927,502 05; for Customs, $411,000; Coin Certificates, $400,000; on account of Loan, $75,000. Payments, $519,293 36. Balance, $91,905,285 05.

Since writing the above paragraph we read the following from our much-esteemed correspondent "Investigator." We should turn his communication over to the philosopher of the *Tribune*, who is bent on early Specie payments at any cost, but for the respect in which we hold his commercial and financial opinions on many other points:

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

It appears to me that the joint resolution introduced by Mr. SHERMAN into the Senate ought to be entitled "An Act for making greenbacks irredeemable by law, which had previously been called irredeemable rags, in the slang of Copperhead papers."

I would ask you if any man of sound sense, reasonable experience, and decent knowledge of the subject, can doubt for one moment that the difficulties of moving toward a resumption of specie payments will be much greater a year hence than they are now?

Is all the experience of the commercial world to go for nothing? When shall we have a cotton crop that will produce as much money in gold value as the odds and ends of old cotton which we are now exporting? When will exchange on Europe be as low as now and for months past?

This proposition of SHERMAN's is nothing less than "an Act to compel the commercial community to wallow in the mire of inconvertibility in company with speculators and gamblers for one year longer." Where is the good of it? INVESTIGATOR.

Real Estate Sales, March 14.

BY E. H. LUDLOW & CO.,

House and lot No. 21 Brevoort-place, 25x92.3........$20,000
House and lot No. 25 North Moore-st., 21.7 1-5x75... 8,300

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

☞ THE CROTON NATIONAL BANK
Of the City of New-York,
DESIGNATED DEPOSITARY AND FINANCIAL AGENT
OF THE
UNITED STATES,
No. 17 Nassau-st., New-York,
WILLIAM B. HATCH, President,
PLINY FISK, Vice-Poesident,
ROBERT M. HEDDEN, Cashier,
Will remove to the new marble building, southeast corner of Nassau and Cedar sts., 1st of May.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, March 14, 1866.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been: 4 bbls. Ashes, 4,329 bbls. Flour, 50 bbls. and 2,174 bags Corn Meal, 1,170 bushels Wheat, 5,500 bushels Corn, 417 bushels Rye, 3,177 bushels Malt, 4,925 bushels Barley, 2,800 bushels Oats, 709 bbls. Pork, 1,528 pkgs. Cut Meats, 1,639 pkgs. Lard, 537 pkgs. Beef, 174 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Pots are quiet to-day, at $7 50@$7 62½ ℘ 100 lbs. Nothing new in Pearls. Stock in the Inspection Warehouse, this morning, 1,397 bbls., including 1,320 bbls. Pots, and 77 bbls. Pearls.

COFFEE—Has been dull and heavy to-day, including Java at 27½c.@28½c.; Maracaibo at 20c.@23½c.; Laguayra at 21c.@22½c.; Rio at 17c.@21c.; and St. Domingo at 17½c.@17¾c., cash, in gold, ℘ lb.

COTTON—Has been in moderate demand at about previous prices. Middlings 40c.@42c., chiefly at 41c., ℘ lb. Sales and resales since our last, 1,800 bales. The receipts at this port since March 1 have been 19,802 bales, making 188,794 bales since Jan. 1, 1866, and 630,668 bales since the commencement of the current cotton year, Sept. 1, 1865.

DRY GOODS—The Dry Goods Exchange report to-day is as follows: *Jobbers' Prices*: Brown Sheetings—Indian Head 36-inch, 25c.; Indian Head 30-inch, 21c.; Laurel C, 20c. Bleached Shirtings—Amoskeag 45-inch, 40c.; Amoskeag 36-inch, 36c.; Red Bank 36-inch, 23c.; Red Bank 32-inch, 21c. Prints—Hamilton, 20c.; Dunnell, 18c.; Amoskeag, 17c.; Arnold, 16c. Delaines—Pacific, 22½c.; Hamilton Manufacturing Company, 20c. Ginghams—Lancaster, 26c.; Glasgow, 25c. Corset Jeans—Pepperell, 30c.; Bates, 20c. Canton Flannels—Hamilton, 35c.; Laconia F, 35c. Ticks—Hampden C C, 40c.; Hampden D D, 35c.; Stripes—Hartford, 40c.; Thorndike, 33c. Denims—Haymaker, 45c.; Haymaker Brown, 40c. Hoop Skirts—Bradley's Duplex Elliptic and Empress Trail, in active demand; S. T. & A. T. Meyers' I X L, no change in prices. The following dispatches were received at the Dry Goods Exchange to-day: Boston—Market moderately active at lowest quotations. Philadelphia—No change to report; trade flat. Baltimore—Market very dull.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been in rather more demand to-day, closing slightly in favor of sellers, especially of really sound lots of shipping brands, which are less abundant. Sales since our last 8,350 bbls., including very inferior to choice Superfine State and Western at $6 70@$7 30; inferior to choice Extra State at $6 90@$8 20, chiefly at $7 35@$7 75 for sound; round-hoop Extra Ohio, inferior to good shipping brands, at $8 15@$8 80 ℘ bbl. We now quote:

Superfine State and Western.........	$6 70	@$7 50
Extra State..........................	6 90	@ 8 20
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	7 35	@11 50
Extra Ohio, round-hoop, ship'g brands	8 15	@ 8 80
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands..	8 80	@12 00
Extra Genesee........................	8 25	@11 75
Poor to very choice extra Missouri....	9 60	@15 50

Southern Flour is unaltered. Sales since our last 650 bbls., in lots, at $8 70@$10 10 for poor to good, and $10 15@$15 50 for good to very choice extra brands, ℘ bbl. Canadian Flour is quiet. Sales 400 bbls. Extra at $7 50 @$11 ℘ bbl. Rye Flour has been inactive, including Superfine at $4 50@$5 50 ℘ bbl. Corn Meal is in more demand, but is quoted down to $3 50@$3 65 for Western, $3 60@$3 65 for Jersey, and $4 10@$4 15 for Brandywine, ℘ bbl. Sales 650 bbls.

GRAIN—Wheat has been in more request, closing more firmly. Sales since our last 41,000 bushels, including White Canada at $2 50@$2 55; Milwaukee Club, part choice, at $1 75 delivered; and good No. 1 Chicago at $1 72 ℘ bushel. Corn has been more active, and quoted a shade firmer. Sales since our last 90,000 bushels, at 68c.@74c. for unsound, and 74c.@77c. for sound mixed Western, ℘ bushel. Oats have been inactive, including State at 55c.@56c.; Jersey and Pennsylvania at 50c.@52c.; old Western at 52c.@55c.; new Western at 35c.@43c.; Canada at 54c., ℘ bushel. Rye, and Barley Malt continue inactive. Barley has been in fair demand; sales 17,500 bushels at $1 17 for Canada West, ℘ bushel.

HAY—North River Bale continues in fair request at 80c.@$1 ℘ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Have been moderately dealt in, including last year's crop at 25c.@65c., and two years' old at 12c.@45c. ℘ lb.

LATHS—Have again advanced to $5 75@$6 for Eastern, ℘ 1000; demand good.

LUMBER—The demand has been moderate. Spruce is heavy and drooping, ranging from $21@$25 for Eastern. Other kinds are unaltered.

MOLASSES—Continues in limited demand, including New-Orleans at 95c.@$1 15; Porto Rico at 60c.@80c. ℘ Cuba at 37½c.@52½c. ℘ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Have been dull and heavy, including Spirits of Turpentine at 90c.@92c. ℘ gallon; Crude do. at $6 50@$6 75; Resin at $3 75@$15 50 ℘ 280 lbs.; Tar at $2 50@$3 75 ℘ bbl.

OILS—Have been quiet to-day, including Crude Whale at $1 25@$1 30; Bleached Whale at $1 38@$1 40; Crude Sperm at $2 35; Unbleached do. at $2 50@$2 55; Lard Oil at $1 70@$1 85; Red Oil at 80c.@95c.; Linseed Oil at $1 35@$1 37 ℘ gallon.

PETROLEUM—Has been quiet and heavy, at 26c.@26½c. for Crude; 42c.@44c. for Refined in bond, and 61c.@63c. for do. free, ℘ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in more demand, opening at reduced prices, but closing more firmly. Sales since our last, 5,800 bbls., in lots, at $25 50@$25 75 for New Mess, closing at $25 75, regular, $25 50@$25 75 for small lots one year old Mess; $24 25 for old Prime Mess; $25 75 for new do.; and $21@$21 50 for new Prime, ℘ bbl. Sales were also made of 4,500 bbls. New Mess, April and May delivery, sellers' option, at $25 75@$26 25, ℘ bbl. Cut Meats continue in fair demand at 11c.@12½c. for Shoulders, and 16c.@18½c. for Hams; sales 300 pkgs. Bacon is quiet, including Cumberland Cut at 14¾c.@15c.; Short Rib at 15¾c.@16c.; Long Ribbed, 15c.@15½c.; Long Clear at 15¼@15½c.; Short Clear at 15¾c.@16½c.; Long Cut Hams at 16c.@17c. ℘ lb.; sales 350 boxes. Dressed Hogs continue in limited request at 12¼c.@12½c. for Western, and 12¾c.@13¼c. for City, ℘ lb. Lard is saleable and firm; sales 1,300 tcs. and bbls. at 16¼c.@18¾c. ℘ lb. Beef continues in request at $16@$20 for New Plain Mess, and $20@$24 for New Extra do.; sales have been reported of 600 bbls. Tierce Beef is quiet to-day. Beef Hams are dull at $27@$37 ℘ bbl.; sales, 120 bbls. Butter is in demand at 40c.@55c. for poor to prime, 55c.@60c. for fancy State, and less, 25c.@42c. for Western, ℘ lb. Cheese continues very dull at 16c.@22c. ℘ lb.

SUGARS—Are quiet and heavy. Sales since our last 310 hhds., including Cuba, &c., at from 10¼c.@12¼c., and 157 boxes Havana, part 12c.@12¼c. ℘ lb. We quote Fair to Good Grocer's at 10¾c.@11¼c.; refining at 10¼c.@10⅝c. ℘ lb. Refining Sugars are very dull at 13¼c.@16½c. ℘ lb.

STEARINE—Sales since our last, 49,000 lbs. at 16c.@17½c. ℘ lb.

TALLOW—Sales to-day 95,000 lbs. at 11¾c.@12c., and 36,000 lbs. Grease at 11c.@13c. ℘ lb.

TOBACCO—The demand for Kentucky is exclusively for home trade. Sales 101 hhds. Kentucky at 18¾c.@28c.; 18 hhds. Virginia at 12c., and 72 cases Seedleaf at 6¼c.@10c. ℘ lb.

WHISKY—Continues very quiet, at $2 28@$2 29 ℘ gallon.

FREIGHTS—Have been quiet to-day. For Liverpool there were taken 14,000 bushels Corn at 5¼d. ℘ bushel, and 200 tcs. Lard at 20s. ℘ ton. For London, a bark, with 20,000 bushels Corn at 5s. 3d. ℘ quarter.

ST. LOUIS, Tuesday, March 13.

FLOUR heavy; sales at $6 75@$7 50 for single extra, $6 50@$10 for double extra. WHEAT declined 15c.@25c.; fair to good Fall at $1 50@$1 80: Prime, $1 90; Choice, $2 15@$2 26;. CORN—Prime, at 54c.@55c.; Mixed, 57c.@58c. Yellow, 60c.@65c. OATS steady at 43c.@46c. MESS PORK dull at $27 50. BACON lower; 13c. for Shoulders, 17½c. for Clear Sides; 21c. for sugar cured Hams, all country cut. Lard at 18c. for Prime Kettle.

POLICE COURTS.

Essex Market—Before Justice Mansfield.

A DETECTIVE ASSAULTED IN A PORTER-HOUSE.

Several men became involved in a quarrel, about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, in the porter-house kept by CHARLES NICHOLS, corner of Grand and Orchard streets. During the fight which ensued, PATRICK PURCELL was severely beaten about the head. Officer SLOWEY, of the Detective Squad, happening to be in the vicinity, entered the premises and endeavored to quell the row. He was immediately set upon by PURCELL and another of the combatants, named JOHN ROACH, who struck him several times about the head and face. Officer LONG, of the Tenth Precinct, hearing the disturbance, ran up and assisted the detective in arresting both his assailants, when they were conveyed to the Station-house. Police Surgeon WATERMAN being called in to dress PURCELL's wounds, was savagely assaulted by the wounded man, when recourse was had to the locust, and the desperate ruffian reduced to submission. Yesterday morning both PURCELL and ROACH were arraigned before the Court and committed for trial.

PROPRIETOR OF A LIQUOR SALOON ASSAULTED.

At a late hour on Tuesday night a difficulty occurred in the liquor saloon, kept by ANDREW MULLIGAN, on the corner of Essex and Broome streets, among the *habitues*. During the fight, which was the ultimate result of the quarrel, the proprietor was severely stabbed in the thigh and stomach with a knife, alleged to have been in the hands of FRANCIS SULLIVAN. JAMES SHERIDAN, one of the combatants, had one of his thumbs nearly bitten off. SULLIVAN, who resides at No. 280 East Twenty-fourth-street, was arrested by Officer DRYER, of the Tenth Precinct, and arraigned before the Court, when he was committed for trial in default of $2,000 bail.

Jefferson Market—Before Justice Ledwith.

PICKPOCKETS.

Officer BROWNING, of the Eighth Precinct, arrested EDWIN LOPEZ on a charge of assault with intent to pick the pocket of MICHAEL MCGUIRE, who is a resident of Brooklyn. The assault was committed in a lager-beer saloon in Sixth-avenue, about 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The prisoner was held to bail in the sum of $1,000 to answer the charge at the Court of Special Sessions. The complainant was sent to the House of Detention to await the trial.

The Tombs—Before Justice Dowling.

A GAMBLING HELL VICTIM.

"Colonel" SHERLOCK HILEMAN was arrested yesterday morning by Capt. JOURDAN, of the Sixth Precinct, on the charge of gambling preferred against him by ISAAC HART, residing at Taylor's Hotel, in Jersey City. In his affidavit the complainant stated that on the 7th inst. the prisoner won from him $79 at faro at No. 233 Broadway, where, it is alleged, such games are frequently played. He also charged that the accused had won from him at divers times since the 13th ult., about $500. HILEMAN was required to give bail to await an examination.

CITY GOVERNMENT

[OFFICIAL.]

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION....WEDNESDAY, March 14, 1866.

Present—John Brice, Esq., President; Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By the President—
Petition of the St. Vincent's Asylum for a donation.
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Alderman Reilly—
Petition of Patrick Garrick for compensation for damages.
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.
By Alderman Moore—

Whereas, Saturday next, the 17th day of March, being the anniversary of the birthday of the Patron Saint of Ireland, is to be celebrated by a grand civic and military procession of our fellow-citizens of Irish birth, including those who are about engaging in an effort the most laudable and patriotic, looking to the restoration of down-trodden and unhappy Ireland to that freedom which is her natural right, and which her sons, through centuries of tyranny and oppression, have striven and sighed for in vain; and

Whereas, In the opinion of this Common Council, speaking on behalf of the people of this City, who sincerely sympathize with the representatives of the oppressed people of Ireland now resident among us, and through them the oppressed and persecuted people in all parts of the world, in their aspirations for freedom, with a view of making such sympathy manifest, and in order to afford all desiring to do so, an opportunity to participate in the contemplated demonstration, as well as to exhibit the deep interest of our people at the present peculiar juncture in the affairs of Ireland, some tangible evidence should be given by them to encourage the Irish people to persevere in their efforts to drive the oppressor from their native land; be it therefore

Resolved, That the flags on the City Hall and all the other public buildings be displayed from sunrise until sunset on the said seventeenth day of March, and that the Courts and the public offices of the Corporation be and hereby are requested and desired to suspend business on that day, in order to enable all who desire to do so to participate in, or to add, by their presence, to the demonstration contemplated to be made by our fellow-citizens of Irish birth, or Irish proclivities, on the approaching anniversary of the birthday of Ireland's Patron Saint.

Which was adopted.
By Alderman Van Voorhis.
Resolved, That Croton mains be laid forthwith in Eighty-third-street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Board.
Which was referred to the Committee on Roads.
By Alderman VanVoorhis—
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner cause gas mains to be laid and lamps placed and lighted in Eighty-third-street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, forthwith.
Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was received from the Comptroller of Greenwood Cemetery tendering a site to the City authorities on which to erect a monument in memory of the soldiers from this City who have fallen in battle.
Which was received, directed to be printed in the minutes, and referred to a Special Committee.
The President subsequently appointed Aldermen Ely, Reilly and Gedney such Committee.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President announced that the next order of business would be the consideration of the special order of the day, being a report of the Committee on Finance, recommending certain amendments to the ordinance making the annual appropriations for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, as passed by the Board of Councilmen.
The ordinance, as amended by the Committee, was taken up and read by sections.

On the following item:
ADVERTISING FOR THE COMMON COUNCIL.—For publishing in the newspapers designated and employed by the Corporation, notices of meetings of the Common Council, and of Committees thereof, also the usual abstracts of the official proceedings of each Board, thirty thousand dollars........ $30,000 00
Alderman Varnum moved to amend said item by inserted after the words "each Board" the following, viz.:
Provided, That no portion of the sums which shall hereafter be raised by tax and assessment, or from any other source, in the City and County of New-York, shall be paid for advertising, except the same shall have been incurred for advertisements in the newspapers authorized by the Mayor, Comptroller and Corporation Counsel of said City, or any two of them, who shall annually contract with two daily morning and two daily evening papers, and two weekly papers, having regard to the circulation of such papers, and the terms on which they will agree to publish said advertisements, and the papers so designated shall be known as the Corporation papers, and shall be alone authorized to publish all advertisements, including proceedings of the Mayor, Common Council or Committees thereof, executive departments, and the Board of Supervisors, except advertisements of the sale of property for taxes, and the redemption notices in relation to the same, and notices in reference to elections, which shall be published as heretofore. But the canvass of votes shall be published only in the Corporation papers. All laws and ordinances conflicting with this provision are hereby repealed, and no contract for advertising, except as herein provided for, shall be valid; and any judgment recovered by default or otherwise on any such contract shall be null and void. The first contract under this clause shall be from the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven; and the Comptroller may issue bonds for the payment of so much as shall become due thereon after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars.
Which was lost.
On the following item:
BELGIAN PAVEMENT.—For the payment of that portion of the expense of laying trap-block or Belgian pavement, which is borne by the Corporation under ordinances of the Common Council, including one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) for the pavement of the City Hall Park, if desired to be used for that purpose, three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars........ $375,000 00
Alderman Flynn moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "two hundred thousand dollars."
Alderman Varnum moved further to amend by striking out the sum of "three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "fifty thousand dollars."
Which was lost.
The President then put the question on the motion of Alderman Flynn to strike out "three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars," and insert "two hundred thousand dollars."
Which was carried.
On the following item:
BROADWAY IMPROVEMENT.—For the improvement of the Broadway pavement, one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars...... $175,000 00
Alderman Varnum moved to amend the ordinance by striking therefrom the whole of said item.
Which was lost.
On the following item:
BOARD OF HEALTH.—For the compensation of the Resident Physician for his services as agent of the Board of Health, and for expenses which may be incurred by said Board, or by the Board of Commissioners of Health beyond the amount provided for under other heads of account, four thousand dollars........ $4,000 00
Alderman Norton moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "four thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "two thousand dollars."
Which was carried.
On the following item:
CONTINGENCIES—LAW DEPARTMENT. For expenses of additional counsel; Sheriff's, witnesses' and other fees; procuring necessary copies of records and documents, postage and other contingent expenses not specially provided for under other heads, including printing law points, opinions, &c., together with one thousand one hundred and twenty dollars ($1,120) to Murray Hoffman; five hundred dollar (500) to Committee of Common Council; G. H. Purser, disbursements, three hundred and ninety-six dollars and eighty-two cents ($396 82;) to J. K. Hackett, counsel fees, nine thousand seven hundred and forty-seven dollars ($9,747;) C. E. Miller, six hundred and eighty-nine dollars ($689;) H. H. Anderson, two hundred and seventy four dollars ($274;) J. E. Burrill, one thousand dollars ($1,000;) J. H. Dukes, six hundred dollars ($600;) Jos. E. Boswell, (estimated,) one thousand dollars, ($1,000;) William F. Allen, (estimated,) one thousand dollars ($1,000;) Wm. M. Evarts, (estimated,) one thousand dollars ($1,000;) J. S. Voorhies, law books, two hundred and thirty-five dollars and seventy cents ($235 70;) E. Jones & Co., printing, two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500;) J. L. Blundell, Stenographer, and O. S. Dana, Stenographer, ninety-four dollars ($94;) Attorney-General, costs on three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000) loan matter; J. H. Platt, costs in case of Metropolitan Fire Commission, seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750;) S. Hayes, Stenographer in Duke vs. Mayor, two hundred and thirty-four dollars and thirty cents ($234 30;) and John McKeon, counsel fees, fifty thousand dollars........ $50,000 00
Alderman Ely moved to amend said item by inserting after the words "opinions," &c., the words following, viz.: "which printing, &c., shall not exceed fifteen thousand dollars."
Which was carried
On the following items:
CONTINGENCIES—CROTON AQUEDUCT BOARD.—For advertising, preparing tables and returns, postage and other incidental expenses, not specially provided for under other heads, five thousand dollars........ $5,000,000
Alderman O'Brien moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "five thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of ten thousand dollars."
Which was carried.
On the following item:
DEFICIENCIES.—For compiling and embellishing the "Corporation Manual" for 1865, as follows: To D. T. Valentine, compiler, $3,500; M. Dripps, maps, $2,400; Lawton & Barrett, engravings, $3,353 10; George Haywood, engravings, $3,185; Major, Knapp & Co., $5,150; J. Rogers, engravings, $733—Nineteen thousand three hundred and twenty-one dollars and ten cents. $19,321 10
Alderman Flynn moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "nineteen thousand three hundred and twenty-one dollars and ten cents," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "twenty thousand and twenty-one dollars and eighty-five cents," and also by inserting after the sum of "seven hundred and thirty-three dollars," the following, viz.: "and for balance due William Hayes, for services rendered in the serving of summonses and subpœnas during the term of office of George Shea, Esq., late Corporation Attorney—seven hundred dollars and seventy-five cents."
Which was carried.
After the following item:
FIRE-MACHINES AND APPARATUS, ARREARS OF.—To provide for the payment of liabilities under this head incurred by the Chief-Engineer, prior to the Commissioners assuming control of the Metropolitan Fire Department, under the act, chapter 249, Laws of 1865—Forty-eight thousand six hundred and fourteen dollars and twenty cents.. $48,614 20
Alderman Ely moved to amend the ordinance by inserting in this place the following additional item:
FIRE TELEGRAPH.—For the purpose of paying for the using of the Morse telegraph patents for various purposes connected with the City Government for the past eight years, and for the use of the same during the balance of the term of patent, according to the purchase made by the City of New-York, as passed by the Board of Councilmen, December 16, 1864, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen, December 28, 1864, and approved by His Honor the Mayor, December 31, 1864—Twenty thousand dollars........ $20,000 00
Which was carried.
On the following item:
HEATING THE CITY HALL.—For the purpose of providing suitable heating apparatus for the City Hall, fifty thousand dollars...... $50,000 00
Alderman Varnum moved to amend the ordinance by striking this item therefrom.
Which was lost.
After the following item:
METROPOLITAN FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.—For the expenses of this department for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, estimated by the Board of Estimate, and approved by the Board of Supervisors, acting as a Board of Revision, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth section of the act, chapter two hundred and forty-nine, laws of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, Seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars........ $750,000 00
Alderman Shannon moved to amend the ordinance by inserting here the following additional item:
MONUMENT IN GREENWOOD CEMETERY.—For monument to be placed on the grounds in Greenwood Cemetery, to be accepted by the Common Council for the burial of soldiers who have lost their lives in the service of the United States. Fifty thousand dollars........ $50,000 00
Which was carried.
On the following item:
NEW COURT-HOUSE.—For building new Court-house, for the Second District Police, and Third Judicial District Court, and House for Detention of Prisoners, eighty thousand dollars........ $80,000 00
Alderman Varnum moved to amend the ordinance by striking therefrom said item.
Which was lost.
On the following item:
PIER AND BULKHEAD AT FOOT OF FORTY-NINTH-STREET, EAST RIVER—For the building of an iron pier and bulkhead at the foot of Forty-ninth-street, East River, one hundred thousand dollars........ $100,000 00
Alderman Moore moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "one hundred thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "fifty thousand dollars."
Alderman Ely moved still further to amend said item by striking therefrom the words "an iron."
Which was accepted by Alderman Moore.
The President then put the question on the motion of Alderman Moore as amended.
Which was carried.
On the following item:
SALARIES—LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT—For salaries of the members of the Common Council, Clerk and Librarian of the Common Council, Deputy Clerk, Assistant Clerks, Messengers, Sergeant-at-Arms, Engrossing Clerks, Reader and Door-keeper of the Board of Aldermen; also of the Clerk, Deputy Clerk, Assistant Clerks, Engrossing Clerk, Messengers, Sergeant-at-Arms, Reader and Door-keeper of the Board of Councilmen, one hundred and twenty-six thousand five hundred and fifty dollars........ $126,550 00
Alderman Reilly moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "one hundred and twenty-six thousand five hundred and fifty dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "one hundred and twenty-eight thousand dollars."
Which was carried.
On the following item:
SALARIES—COMMISSIONERS OF HEALTH—For salaries of the Resident Physician, Health Commissioner, and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Health, three thousand dollars........ $3,000 00
Alderman Norton moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "three thousand dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "one thousand five hundred dollars."
Which was lost.
On the following item:
SEWERS—REPAIRING AND CLEANING—For general repairs and cleaning of sewers, receiving-basins and culverts; also, for rebuilding sewers, as authorized by law, including materials, labor and incidental expenses connected therewith, not provided for under other heads, fifty thousand dollars. $50,000 00
Alderman O'Brien moved to amend said item by striking therefrom the sum of "fifty thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu therof the sum of "one hundred thousand dollars."
Which was lost.
On the following item:
STREETS REPAVING AND REPAIRS For general repairs of the pavements of the streets, avenues, and squares of the City, including all materials and labor required therefor, seventy-five thousand dollars........ $75,000 00
Alderman McGinnis moved to amend said item, by striking therefrom the sum of "seventy-five thousand dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "one hundred thousand dollars."
Which was carried.
The ordinance having been read through,
Alderman Ely moved that said ordinance be adopted as amended.
Which was carried by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
Negative—Alderman Varnum—1.

MOTIONS.

Alderman Shannon moved that when this Board adjourn it do so to meet on next Monday, the 19th inst., at 2 o'clock.
Which was carried.
He then moved that this Board do now adjourn.
Which was lost by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Shannon, Ely, Loew—3.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBride, Flynn, Reilly The President, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, VanVoorhis—11.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Report of Committee on Streets in favor of adopting resolution as follows:—
Resolved, That the sidewalks of New Chambers-street, from Chatham-street to James-slip, be flagged the full width, where necessary, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was adopted by the following vote:—
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, the President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Vanvoorhis—14.
Communication from His Honor the Mayor, transmitting preamble and resolutions of the Board of Health, requesting the Common Council to publish five thousand copies of the annual report of the Resident Physician, Dr. Sayre, in pamphlet form, for general distribution.
Alderman Shannon moved to strike out the words "five thousand," and insert the words "two thousand five hundred."
Which was lost.
The resolution was then adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, The President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.

MOTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Norton moved that the Board do now adjourn,
Which was lost.

GENERAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Report of Committee on Streets, in favor of adopting resolution as follows:
Resolved, That Franklin-street, from Broadway to West Broadway, be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Board, the property owners to pay half the expense, and the City the remaining half, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
Negative—Alderman Shannon—1.
Report of Committee on Belgian Pavements of Board of Councilmen, with resolution as follows:
Resolved, That Catharine-street be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was concurred in by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Vorhis—14.
Report of Committee on Finance, in favor of adopting resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lease to the managers of the Patriot Orphan Home, of the City of New-York, all that certain piece or parcel of land belonging to the City, located on Seventy-ninth-street between Third and Fourth avenues, commencing at the southwest corner of Seventy-ninth-street and running west two hundred and fifty (250) feet, the said lease to be for a period of ninety-nine (99) years, at the annual sum of one dollar (lawful currency of the United States) per annum, upon which to erect a building for the purpose of receiving, educating and supporting children of deceased and disabled soldiers and seamen, who had enlisted in the Army or Navy of the United States.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Rielly, Brice, Loew, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis, Varnum—14.
Report of Special Committee of Board of Councilmen appointed to consider a resolution directing an improved system of heating the City Hall, with resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the sum of fifty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for furnishing the City Hall with suitable steam heating apparatus, the said work to be done under the direction of the Street Commissioner, in conformity with the charter of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and that the sum of fifty thousand dollars be inserted in the tax levy of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to be expended specifically for the purpose aforesaid.
Which was concurred in by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
Negative—Alderman Varnum—1.
Report of Committee on Wharves, Piers and Slips of Board of Councilmen, with resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for repairing Pier number sixty-two, East River.
Alderman Norton moved to refer the same to the Committee on Wharves, Piers and Slips.
Which was lost by the following vote, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton.
Negative—Aldermen McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—11.
The resolution was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, The President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—11.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton—3.
Report of the Committee on Finance, in favor of adopting resolution as follows:—
Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Peter J. Murtha for the sum of two hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty-seven cents, for extra work on contract for flagging, &c., One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street from the Third-avenue to Harlem River, and charge the same to the account of City Contingencies.
Which was adopted by the following vote:—
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southeast corner of Thirty-second-street and Tenth-avenue be fenced in, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, the President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—14.
Resolution of Board of Councilmen as follows:
Resolved, That the salary of the Street Clerk in the Finance Department be and the same is hereby fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars per annum, the said increase to take effect from and after the passage of this resolution.
Which was concurred in by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Rielly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
Negative—Alderman Norton.
Report of the Joint Committee appointed to investigate the facts and circumstances attending the defalcation of R. B. Bradford, late Public Administrator, in favor of adopting resolution and ordinance for the following purposes:
Resolution to invest the sum of fifty thousand dollars in the City appropriation ordinance for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to cover such amount of said defalcation as may fall upon the Corporation, compensate Murray Hoffman, Esq., for services as Public Administrator, and for special services in making examination of accounts, and to pay expenses incident to the investigations by the Committee.
Ordinance to amend the Revised Ordinances of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, and other acts of the Common Council relating to the Bureau of Public Administrator.
Pending the reading of the same, Alderman Varnum moved that the further reading be dispensed with.
Which was lost by the following vote, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Flynn, Ely, Reilly, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis—7.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Shannon, The President, Van Voorhis—7.
Subsequently Alderman Flynn moved that the further reading be dispensed with.
Which was carried.
Alderman Reilly moved to amend section fifty-two by striking therefrom the sum of "six thousand three hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the sum of "seven thousand dollars."
Alderman Norton moved as an amendment to the amendment to strike out the sum of "six thousand three hundred dollars, and insert in lieu thereof the sum of "four thousand three hundred dollars."
Alderman Shannon moved that the whole subject be recommitted to the Special Committee.
Which was lost.
The President then put the question on the amendment proposed by Alderman Norton.
Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Alderman Norton—1.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—13.
The President then put the question on the motion of Alderman Reilly.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Flynn, Ely, Reilly, the President, Loew, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—8.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Shannon, Varnum—6.
The President then put the question on the adoption of the ordinance as amended.
Which was decided in the negative for want of a sufficient number of votes, as follows:
Affirmative—Aldermen Coman, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, Brice, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—11.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Norton, Loew—3.
Alderman Loew moved that such vote be reconsidered.
Which was carried.
The paper was then laid over.
Report of Committee on Streets in favor of adopting resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That the sidwalks in First-avenue, between East Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets be flagged on both sides, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—12.
Negative—Alderman Norton—1.
Report of Committee on Sewers in favor of adopting resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the Croton Aqueduct Board be and they are hereby directed to construct a culvert under or parallel with the sewer now in progress in Seventy-fourth-street, west of Second-avenue, for the purpose of draining the lots north of Seventy-fourth-street, and west of Second-avenue, said work to be done without contract.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, the President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhies—14.
Report of the Committee on Finance, in favor of adopting resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Patrick Coughlan for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, to reimburse him for moneys expended in erecting or constructing a well and pump for the accommodation of the residents in the vicinity of Kingsbridge-road and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth-street, the amount to be charged by the Comptroller to the account of City Contingencies.
Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon, Ely, Reilly, The President, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis. Van Voorhis—14.

MOTIONS.

Alderman Ely moved that the General Orders be made the special order of business, immediately after resolutions, at the meeting on Monday next.
Which was carried by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Ely, Reilly, Brice, Loew, Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Vorhis—8.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Coman, Norton, McBrien, Flynn, Shannon—6.
Aldermen McBrien moved that the Committee on Salaries and Offices be discharged from the further consideration of resolution as follows:
Resolved, That the salary of the City Librarian be increased to eighteen hundred dollars per annum, the same to take effect from the passage of this resolution.
Which was carried.
And the paper was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

A communication was received from the Comptroller in reply to resolution calling for the restitution of certain parcels of real estate,
Which was received and laid over, and directed to be printed at length in the minutes.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Wharves, Piers and Slips presented a report to extend pier number fifty-three North River.
Which was laid over.
The Committee on Salaries and Offices presented a report increasing the salary of the Chief Engineer of the Croton Board.
Which was laid over.

MOTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Ely moved that the Board do now adjourn.
Which was carried by the following vote:
Affirmative—Alderman Cowen, Ely, Reilly, Loew Varnum, O'Brien, McGinnis, Van Voorhis—8.
Negative—Aldermen Moore, Norton, McBrien, Flynn Shannon, The President—6.
Whereupon the President declared that the Board stood adjourned to Monday next, nineteenth instant, at two o'clock P. M.

D. T. VALENTINE, Clerk.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.—THE TREASURER of the Charitable Fund of the Fire Department with much pleasure acknowledges the receipt of $5,635 84, by the hands of Albert Delatour, Esq., Treasurer of the Firemen's Ball Committee, being the net proceeds of the Thirty-seventh Annual Ball, given at the Academy of Music, on the evening of Jan. 22, 1866, in aid of the Widow and Orphan Fund of the Volunteer Fire Department.
JOHN S. GILES, Treasurer.

The Treasurer, in behalf of the Department, tenders his sincere thanks to the Ball Committee for the admirable arrangement and excellent management that characterized the ball in aid of the Charitable Fund of the Fire Department, one of the most brilliant and attractive entertainments in the festivities of the past season, the pecuniary results of which are most gratifying to the friends and members of the Department. To our fellow-citizens who so generously responded to the efforts of the Committee, we tender our warmest acknowledgments. It is also most gratifying to the members of the late Volunteer Fire Department that their former able and efficient services are so substantially remembered, for no organization has ever been more lavish of their labor, health, and even life itself, than the Volunteer Fire Department of our City; for, during the change made by legislative enactment, disbanding the Volunteer Department and substituting the paid system, the volunteer fireman remained firm and reliable at his post until relieved from duty by the paid organization. Not only were they famed as firemen, but as patriots when the hydra of rebellion raised its poisonous heads and threatened destruction to our beloved country. The firemen of the City of New-York were among the first to raise and equip by volunteer contribution a regiment of Zouaves, who were led by the lamented Ellsworth to the field of strife. Subsequently, when the casualties of war had decimated the ranks of the Second Fire Zouaves, the firemen, from their own body and from their own resources, recruited the regiment to the regulation standard, and again placed it on the field of service; and on their return from the bloody conflict, the Hall of Representatives of the Volunteer Fire Department was decorated with the trophies won by their bravery, both in the navy and on the sanguinary fields of battle. Was not such an institution worth preserving?—was not such an organization worthy of perpetuation? The disbandment of the Volunteer Fire Department, and the consequent decrease of its revenues, have placed the fund for relief of the widows and orphans of deceased firemen in a very straitened position; and we earnestly appeal to the benevolent to assist us in our gratuitous efforts to sustain a charity that for nearly three-quarters of a century carried relief and consolation to the bedside of the needy and afflicted fireman, cheered by its benevolence the lonely fireside of the indigent and sorrowing widow, and guarded with paternal care his helpless orphans. We point with just pride to a charity that is not restricted within the limits of sect or creed—which is not bestowed on vice or infamy—but encircles in its embrace relief to the indigent and distressed widows and orphans, who have no ordinary claim but such as arise from the services and sacrifices gratuitously rendered by their deceased husbands and fathers, many of whom entered the Department in the bloom and vigor of manhood with bright hopes of the future—alas! never to be realized. They have passed away and bequeathed to us the cherished objects of their life, their widows and orphans, of which 400 of the former and 700 of the latter claim our care and sympathy.

MEDICAL BOARDS FOR THE EXAMINATION of candidates for admission into the Navy as Assistant Surgeons.
Boards of Medical Officers will convene at the Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass.; Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Naval Asylum, Philadelphia, Penn., on MONDAY, March 12, 1866, for the examination of candidates for admission into the Medical Corps of the Navy.
Gentlemen desirous of appearing before either Board must make application to the Honorable Secretary of the Navy, or to the undersigned, stating residence, date and place of birth, and in which Board they desire to present themselves. Application to be accompanied by respectable testimonials of moral character.
Candidates must not be less than twenty-one, nor more than twenty-six years of age.
No expense is allowed by Government to candidates attending the sessions of the Board as a successful examination is a legal prerequisite for appointment in the Navy.
P. J. HORWITZ, Chief of Bureau.
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MEETINGS.

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FEMALES.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG WOman, a native of Holland, a situation as first-class waitress; understands her business thoroughly; has excellent City reference; no objection to the country; can be seen at the Protestant Agency, No. 125 6th-av., near 13th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPETENT lady's maid; will travel, if required; is a perfect dressmaker; understands every style in hairdressing; every ability in that capacity; highest City references given. Call at No. 942 Broadway, between 22d and 23d sts., in the hair-store.

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WANTED.—A LADY WISHES A SITUATION as housekeeper, governess, or companion; is accustomed to traveling, and willing to make herself generally useful; references exchanged. Address T. G., Station D, New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTANT woman to do general housework; has a girl 11 years old who can wait on the door or table when from school; would take full charge of a house while the occupants are in the country. Apply at No. 160 East 27th-st.

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WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable young woman as waitress, and to assist in chamberwork; five years good reference. Call at No. 110 West 18th-st., in the rear.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER by an intelligent American lady, between the age of 30 and 40; no incumbrance. Address, with particulars, C. STOCKTON, Greenpoint, Long Island.

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FOR SALE.

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BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE ON WASHINGTON Heights for sale; double cupola house, 40x40, lot 65x100; frame filled in with brick; two-story, attic and brick basement; built in best manner and finished in modern city style, with every convenience, including furnace, range, bath, dumb waiter, gas, hot and cold water, water closets, bells and speaking tubes; high ceilings with handsome cornices and centre pieces; French plate front windows; location very desirable; neighborhood first-class; in perfect order throughout. Price $15,000; $10,000 can remain if desired. FISH & BLIVEN, No. 544 Broadway.

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SARATOGA RESIDENCE FOR SALE OR RENT—Handsome new brick two-story house, contains 12 large rooms, bath-room, marble mantels and nice ground, grapes, flowers and fruit; lot 71 by 137½; street in rear; elegant brick barn, tin roof; the place a great bargain; price $7,000, or with furniture $9,000. If not sold will rent for Summer season to a nice family for $1,000. Apply at once to H. VAN DEUSEN, Post-office, Saratoga, N. Y.

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TO LET.

TO LET—FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE FIRST of May, the elegant furnished house No. 4 East 29th-st.; lot running through to 28th-st., with large stable on the rear. To a desirable tenant the pictures and ornaments will be left. For particulars and permit inquire of Mr. S. H. ROBBINS, office G. S. Robbins & Son, No. 54 William-st.

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A SUMMER RESIDENCE AT SARATOGA. —The owner of a first-class brick house at Saratoga Springs, handsomely furnished, centrally located on Broadway, and who is desirous of being absent for a few months, would rent the same for the Summer. The house is furnished with gas, cold and hot water, and there are attached to the premises a flower and vegetable garden, stable, &c. Inquire of C. A. DAVISON, No. 38 Wall-st.

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DOUBLE FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET. —To let or lease the double two-story house No. 110 East 16th-st., near Union-square, to a private family only; house in complete order, 33x81, furniture handsome and abundant; offered to lease for two years in consequence of the family going abroad. For further information apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

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TO LET AT BERGEN POINT—$600 PER annum, a large commodious house, suitable for two families, with six acres of land, stables, fine garden, abundance of fruit; all in excellent order; thirty minutes from New-York; trains every hour by Central Railroad of New-Jersey, foot of Liberty-st.; possession 1st of May. Inquire at depot, Bergen Point.

TO LET—IN RIDGEFIELD, CONN., FROM MAY 1, for six months, a house with 12 rooms, mostly furnished, verandahs, large yard, garden, barn, good water, plenty of fruit, in the high and pleasant village, 3½ hours from New-York; price $800. Address F. A. ROCKWELL, Ridgefield, Conn.

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WANTED—PART OF AN UNFURNISHED house, four to six rooms, by a small genteel American family; location between Bond and 20th-sts., 2d and 6th avs.; possession May 1, or sooner. Address, stating location, rent, &c., G. W., Box No. 5,336 Post-Office.

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BOARD WANTED—IN THE COUNTRY, IN New-Jersey or Pennsylvania, within 3 or 4 hours of the City, for a family of four adults, four children and two servants; location must be healthy and accommodations good; accommodation for two horses and coachman also required. Address, stating full particulars as to situation and terms, E. M., Box 1,146 New-York Post-office.

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Amusements this Evening.

WINTER GARDEN.
Broadway, between Bleecker and Amity sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, RICHELIEU; OR, THE CONSPIRACY. Characters by Messrs. Edwin Booth, Charles Barron, J. H. Taylor, John Dyott, W. Donaldson, Kemble Mason, Andrews, Bland, Miss E. Johnson, Mrs. Wilkins, &c.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, between Prince and Houston sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, MARIE. Characters by Messrs. J. W. Collier, J. G. Burnett, D. Ralton, E. Lamb, E. B. Holmes, Misses Maggie Mitchell, Mary Wells, Maeder, H. Chapman, Everett, Whitlock, &c., &c.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Broadway, corner 13th-st.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 8 o'clock, SOCIETY. Characters by Messrs. Frederic Robinson, Charles Fisher, Mark Smith, Holston, Geo. Holland, Norton, Williamson, Browne, Graham, Pope, Ward, Cashin, Miss Madeline Henriques, Mrs. Vernon, Miss Emma Le Brun, Mrs. Timoney, Miss Kate Barrett and Miss Scott.

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Broadway, between Houston and Bleecker sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, CINDERELLA E LA COMARE; Or, the LOVER, THE LACKEY, AND LITTLE GLASS SLIPPER, and DOING FOR THE BEST.

BROADWAY THEATRE.
Broadway, between Grand and Broome sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, THE VICTIMS and FORTY WINKS. Characters by John E. Owens, John K. Mortimer, J. W. Albaugh, Tom. Owens, T. L. Donnelly, Miss Celia Logan, Miss Josephine Tyson, Mrs. A. Hurd and others.

WOOD'S THEATRE.
Broadway, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, EAST LYNNE. Characters by Miss Lucille Western, Messrs. Barton Hill and Leffingwell; Miss Henrietta Osborne, Miss Corney, Mrs. E. Wright, Joyce, Mrs. G. F. Tyrell, Wilson, Alice Seidler, Mrs. Hare.

LUCY RUSHTON'S THEATRE,
Nos. 728 and 730 Broadway.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, FORTUNE'S FROLIC, and PHENOMENON IN A SMOCK FROCK. Characters by the company.

NEW BOWERY THEATRE.
Bowery, between Canal and Hester sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¼ o'clock, CONVICT MARQUIS and THE MOGUL TALE. Characters by the dramatic company. WONDERFUL MELANGE by the renowned SEAGRIST and SON.

FOX'S OLD BOWERY THEATRE.
Bowery, between Bayard and Canal sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, The pantomime of JACK AND GILL. Also two dramas. Characters by the company.

BARNUM'S NEW MUSEUM.
Broadway, between Spring and Prince sts.
THIS AFTERNOON at 2. EVENING at 7¾ o'clock. MOSES; OR, ISRAEL IN EGYPT. MAGNIFICENT SCENERY, COSTUMES, &c. 100,000 CURIOSITIES.

NEW-YORK CIRCUS AND HIPPOTHEATRON.
14th-st., opposite the Academy of Music.
THIS EVENING March 15, commencing at 8, ROBINSON ON A BAREBACK HORSE, THE WONDERFUL CHILD RIDER and all the Equestrians and Acrobats in a programme resplendent with brilliant animations.

BRYANT'S MINSTRELS.
Broadway, between Grand and Broome sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 7¾ o'clock, LES MISRABLES, LADY OF LYONS, &c. Characters by Dan Bryant, Little Mac, Rollin Howard, Nelse Seymour, Dave Reed, Neil Bryant, &c.

FINE ARTS GALLERY.
No. 625 Broadway.
THIS DAY, March 15, commencing at 9 o'clock. Exhibition of Kellog's Great Painting, entitled "THE ORIENTAL PRINCES AFTER THE BATH."

BROOKLYN ACADEMY OF MUSIC,
Montague-st., between Court and Clinton sts.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 8 o'clock, the Grand Spectacular Opera, THE STAR OF THE NORTH.

DERBY ART GALLERY,
No. 625 Broadway.
THIS DAY, March 15, commencing at 9 o'clock; GREAT EXHIBITION OF PICTURES, DRAWINGS, BRONZES, TERRA-COTTA, &c.

DUSSELDORF GALLERY,
No. 548 Broadway.
THIS DAY AND EVENING, March 15—EXHIBITION OF PICTURES.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—THEATRE FRANCAIS,
14th-st., corner Irving-place.
THIS EVENING, March 15, commencing at 8 o'clock, LES AMOURS MAUDITS and LES ZUAVE DE PALESTEO.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate Mr. Sumner reported a joint resolution authorizing Commodoro Radford to receive from the King of Italy a decoration of honor for assistance rendered to an Italian frigate, ashore on Long Island. The bill appropriating $2,600 to the sufferers of the late Arsenal explosion at Washington, was passed. The bill providing for an Hydrographic office in the Navy Department was reported with recommendation. Mr. Trumbull reported the Civil Rights Bill from the Judiciary Committee, with a recommendation that it pass. The bill granting land to aid the construction of a railroad from Placerville, Cal., to a point of intersection with the Pacific Railroad in Nevada, was passed. Mr. Wilson called for the bill to increase and fix the military peace establishment, which after a full debate, and the adoption of several amendments, was passed—yeas 27, nays 5. The bill now goes to the House. On motion of Mr. Trumbull the Senate concurred in the House amendment to the bill relative to the Court of Claims. The bill now only waits the signature of the President.

In the House, Mrs. Wilson, of Iowa, reported the Senate Bill in reference to the Court of Claims, with an amendment, which was agreed to. The bill was then passed. Mr. Donnelly introduced a bill granting lands to the State of Minnesota for the aid of disabled and seamen. The consideration of the bill relating to the *Habeas Corpus* Act was resumed. After some debate the bill went over to this morning. Mr. Pike introduced a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Navy to send a naval fore to protect the fishing interests forming on the British American possessions. The resolution was subsequently withdrawn. The joint resolution relative to the Paris Exposition was next taken up, and Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, addressed the Committee in opposition. Mr. Chandler, Mr. Grinnell, Mr. Woodbridge, Mr. Raymond, and Mr. Rice, of Massachusetts, followed in favor of the resolution. At the evening session the consideration of the subject was resumed, and receiving several amendments, the resolution was passed, yeas 69, nays 50.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, yesterday, a bill was reported, directing the removal of the railroad track in Thompson-street, and change the route of the Broadway and Seventh-avenue Railroad Company in New-York City; also a bill authorizing the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company to extend their track, and authorizing the Ninth-avenue Railroad to use the same; a bill was noticed to incorporate the American Epidemiological Society; also a bill amending the act relative to the Croton Water Department, affecting the grade of the Eighth-avenue, New-York; a bill was introduced authorizing the construction of a Suspension Railroad in Broadway, and other streets in the City of New-York; the bill fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Kings County at $2,500, was passed; also the bill appropriating $270,000 for the Extension of the Chenango Canal; also the bill authorizing Attorneys and Counselors of the Supreme Court residing in adjoining States to practice in the Courts of this State.

In the Assembly a bill was reported to amend the Public Charity and Correction Department Act of New-York, so as to enable the Comptroller to more speedily raise the money required under said act; the bill to regulate the use of boats and vessels within the Metropolitan District was passed; also the bill relative to the Public Markets in New-York City; also the bill to limit the term of office in the New-York State National Guard; also the bill to incorporate the New-York Mutual Gaslight Company.

GENERAL NEWS.

Secretary McCulloch received a telegram on Tuesday from the Canadian Minister of Finance, requesting that the provincial authorities be permitted to station officers along the railroads on the American side of the border to examine baggage and freight destined for Canada. The Secretary, in reply, sent the following telegram to the Collectors of Customs on the Northern frontier: "Allow the Canadian authorities to place officers at railroad points on our side to examine baggage and freight destined for Canada. It is understood we have similar privileges in Canada."

Gov. Ward, on Tuesday, sent a message to the New-Jersey Assembly concerning the actual condition of the State finances, and submitting statements furnished to him by the Comptroller of the Treasury, by which it appears that the indebtedness in loans amounts to the sum of $3,040,900; other claims, $1,027,376 65. Total, $4,068,276 65. The amount of stocks and securities belonging to the State, and on which an income is derived, is stated at $335,000. An unadjusted claim against the United States Government of $775,000 29. There is to be provided for and paid the present year $1,363,476 65. To pay which there is the ordinary revenue (estimated) and cash on hand, $436,000. Deficiency for current year, $927,476 65. If the same sum, viz.: $350,000, is directed by the Legislature to be raised by tax the present year, as was levied last year, it will leave a balance to be provided for of $577,476 65.

The new railroad between Athens and Schenectady, which has been in the course of construction, is now completed, and ready for business on the opening of navigation. It is called the Saratoga and Hudson River Railroad, and is thirty-eight miles in length from where it leaves the New-York Central track two miles east of Schenectady to its terminus one mile north of Athens, on the west bank of the Hudson River.

LOCAL NEWS.

At Police trials, yesterday, before Commissioners Acton, Bergen and Manierre, Sergt. Chas. F. Williams and Patrolman Patrick Oates, of the Fourth Precinct, were arraigned on charge growing out of a drunken fight, in which four seamen engaged, in the Fourth Ward, at about 1 o'clock on the morning of the 28th ultimo. It appeared that on the evening of the 27th, Officer Oates, who had taken a young woman to one of the theatres, reached her home at about midnight, and at about 1 o'clock in the morning, when the maiden's father was about to close his place, which is a seaman's boarding-house, an inebriate entered, and was ordered out. He soon returned, accompanied by three drunken seamen, and the four having commenced a fight, officer Oates interfered and was severely wounded. At length, aided by Patrolman Horsman and John Oates, he overcame the seamen, and took them to the Oak-street Police-station, but not until he had clubbed them and drawn blood from one of their number. The charge against Sergt. Williams, which was preferred by Inspector Carpenter, was that he committed the wounded prisoners to a cell without first summoning a Police Surgeon. The defence was that the sufferer had declined the service of a surgeon, saying that the wound was only a flesh-wound. The number of trials was fifty-five.

At the meeting of the Metropolitan Board of Health, yesterday afternoon, President Schultz informed his fellow-Commissioners that he intends to select as a model the best-appointed slaughter-house which a Committee of butchers who have been appointed for that purpose may exhibit, and that he will require every slaughter-house in the City to rival the model. He will require the removal of all slaughter-houses from streets which have no sewers; and where a slaughter-house has no connection with a street-sewer, he will demand that the connection be made forthwith. He added that Mr. Peter Cooper has signified his readiness to take all the stock for an abattoir far up town. The Metropolitan Police and others have sent more than eighteen hundred complaints to the Office of the Board. Letters of complaint should be addressed to the Sanitary Superintendent, at No. 301 Mott-street, and not to the Commissioners individualy.

A disturbance took place about 3 o'clock yesterday morning in the porter-house of Charles Nichols, corner of Grand and Orchard streets. During the fight Patrick Purcell was severely beaten. Detective Slowey chancing to be passing the premises at the time interfered, when he was assaulted by Purcell and John Roach, and beaten about the head and face. Officer Long, of the Tenth Precinct, ran up, arrested both Purcell and Roach, and took them to the Station-house. Before the surgeon could dress Purcell's wounds the baton had to be freely used. Both prisoners were subsequently committed for trial.

During Tuesday evening, a fight occurred in the liquor saloon at the corner of Essex and Broome streets, during which Andrew Mulligan, the proprietor was severely cut in the thigh and stomach with a knife, by Francis Sullivan. James Sheridan, another of the combatants, had one of his thumbs nearly bitten off. Sullivan was arrested and committed for trial.

The Board of Aldermen yesterday adopted the report of the Finance Committee on the Tax Levy; also resolutions expressing sympathy with those engaged in the Fenian movement. The salary of the Stock Clerk in the Finance Department was increased from $1,700 to $3,000 per annum. A lease of a large plot of ground, at a nominal rental, was granted to the Trustees of the Patriot Orphan Home.

In the United States Court Court, before Judge Shipman, yesterday morning, Messrs. Benjamin Vicuna Mackenna and Dr. Stephen Rogers appeared and pleaded not guilty to the indictment found against them for alleged criminal complicity in the torpedo affair. They gave bail each in the sum of $5,000 before Commissioner Stillwell to appear for trial on the first Monday of April next.

Officer Woodward, of the Seventh Precinct, while endeavoring to arrest John Shelly, a person well known to the Police, in Water-street, yesterday afternoon, shot him in the hip, inflicting a severe, though not fatal wound. Shelly is charged with having garroted a man two weeks ago, and taking from him a valuable watch.

Coroner Wildey held an inquest yesterday on the body of Rose Kelly, a native of Ireland, 50 years of age, whose death was the result of burns in consequence of her clothes having caught fire on Sunday last, at the residence of her employer, in One Hundred and Twentieth-street, near Second-avenue. A verdict of accidental death was given.

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner Collin on the body of Solomon Blank, aged 12 years, who died from injuries received by a fall on the sidewalk in front of his parent's residence, No. 366 Avenue A. A verdict of death from compression of the brain was rendered.

The members of the Literary Constellation, held their first annual ball and social reunion last evening, at Irying Hall. The affair was a success. At the supper given by the Society at midnight several toasts were drank and appropriate speeches were delivered by the officers of the Association and prominent guests of the evening.

Michael Healey, indicted for the murder of Peter McGary on the 24th of November, 1865, was arraigned in the Court of General Sessions yesterday, and pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree. Judge Russel sentenced him to the State Prison for the term of his natural life.

The Committee appointed by the Board of Supervisors to inquire into the charge of fraud made against the Committee on the Construction of the new County Court-house, met again yesterday, and examined Mr. Michael Rowley and Mr. Joseph B. Young, Clerk to the Board.

Gold was comparatively steady yesterday, Exchange 108⅛@¾. Money easy, Government Stocks active, and Railway speculation excited and upward.

A slightly improved demand prevailed yesterday for the principal kinds of Produce and Merchandise. Flour, Wheat and Corn were firmer. Pork was cheaper. Groceries were heavy. The Freight engagements were light.

The Fitness of Things.—We dare say there was some portion of the Congressional audience that listened to Mr. Banks' eloquent speech on Tuesday, whose judgment would have been better satisfied if the speaker had been less belligerent in tone and bearing. Of course, we shall be well represented at the Paris Exhibition; and we shall doubtless be all the better represented that Mr. Banks has so strongly and steadily advocated the cause of intending exhibitors. We have to remember, however, that the Exhibition—if it has anything about it to commend it to our country—is not *a war pageant.* We are surely not going then either to exhibit our "monitors," or to show to Europe that Admiral Farragut is a greater seaman and a more amiable gentleman than Von Tromp. Most sober Americans will be content, we think, to let Farragut's record speak for itself without inviting a judgment upon it from the adjudicators of prizes at the Paris Exhibition, or any other exhibition. Our brave old Admiral himself, we are inclined to think, will be content with the approbation and respect and love of his own countrymen, without struggling for a medal at an international show.

And, speaking of this Exhibition, is it altogether according to the fitness of things for an American legislator of Mr. Banks' position to speak of the ruler of France as an enemy of the United States, and eager to go to war with us on any pretext, because he himself is sitting on the point of a bayonet! It occurs to us that such incidental allusions are not in the best possible taste, and that they do not constitute the best possible recommendation to intending exhibitors from this side of the Atlantic.

We trust, nevertheless, that the Exhibition may be an abundant success. The local management here could not possibly be in better hands.

Some of the Consequences of the Doctrine that the Southern States are Out of the Union.

The *Tribune* says:

John T. Monroe, the "National Democratic" candidate, whom we stated some days ago was chosen Mayor of New-Orleans, was the rebel Mayor when Butler and Farragut took that city.

There is danger of too many results of this character while the country is kept in a false position. We are, as long as Congress holds that *States* are out of the Union, enacting a lie. The reverse of this proposition was affirmed in 1861 by an almost unanimous vote of Congress. To maintain that position the people gave up millions of treasure and rivers of blood. And now Congress, after the rebellion is conquered, stultifying its record, holds that the States which we insisted could not be taken out of the Union *are out of it!* Success would have converted the rebellion into a revolution. *Then* the rebellious States would have become an independent Confederacy. But defeat leaves the States in the Union and the Union intact.

The question, and the only real question, is for Congress to determine upon the qualifications of its members. And over that question their power is supreme. Thus simplified, difficulties disappear. But while it is held that *States* instead of people were in rebellion, all is muddled.

Congress has established the fact that ordinances of secession did not take States out of the Union by recognizing members from Tennessee, in their seats, *after* that State had seceded. Now, however, instead of proceeding to admit or reject Loyal Representatives, it confounds Loyalty with Treason, by excluding both classes! Col. Johnson, stanch and true to the Government and Union from the beginning, and sacrificing vastly more for his country than those who shut the door in his face, is rewarded for his gallantry and devotion by being treated as a Rebel. The men who deny Col. Johnson his seat, did not, like that patriotic Union man, offer their lives in the field for their country.

When Congress refuses to discriminate between loyalty and rebellion, confounding Union soldiers with rebels, what chance is there for true men at the South? How can Union men hope for election in New-Orleans or Savannah, when no encouragement is given them at Washington?

Smiling as a Senatorial Art.

Few people, we suppose, pretend to comprehend the whole of the speeches, or the half of the theories that have been elaborated in Congress during its present session. Their profundity, erudition or subtlety, their metaphysical fineness or their physical magnitude—one or other of these characteristics has generally proved too much for us. We flounder in the depths of Sumner or Saulsbury, and stumble over the subtleties of Stevens or Strouse. Even the simplest question seems complex and the plainest matters unintelligible. As we feel ourselves penetrating the thick darkness, we generally stop short, and turn into lines of thought of which the conclusion is visible.

But Senator Sprague is not amenable to criticism of this sort. He often treats upon the vastest and heaviest subjects, such as the warehousing system and the tariff—the latter especially, as it bears upon cotton manufactures; but he elucidates every topic with such a skill, and throws around them all such a charm, that we become fascinated as we proceed, and grieve when the close of the speech breaks the spell. Knowing his oratory only as it is given to us through the electric telegraph, which transmits neither features nor intonations; neither the lights and shadows of the countenance, nor the expressive gestures which give vivacity to thought: neither the warmth of manner, the movements of the facial muscles, nor the twinkle of the eye, we have never been able to understand either its full intrinsic power or the influence it carried among the grave and reverend seignors of whom he is one. But he himself has been pleased to give us what is probably the key to the whole matter. A few days ago Senator Conness of California brought a railing accusation against Senator Sprague of tiring or boring the Senate with his speeches, and in its course ably alleged that Senator Sprague "smiled" when he rose to speak. To this Senator Sprague promptly replied in the following terms—not "hurling back the imputation in the gentleman's teeth," as has so often been done by lesser orators, when charged with discreditable characteristics, but boldly acknowledging the corn, and admitting himself to be guilty even beyond the measure of the accusation:

"I intend," exclaimed Senator Sprague, "*I intend always when I rise in my seat here, to smile. I consider the face that will smile only when it sees something to cause it to smile and excite its interest as not the kind I wish to have.* I do not wish to occupy that position. I believe that the discussion of a question before the Senate that interests members, should be discussed in a friendly *and smiling* condition. I trust it will be the condition I shall *always* occupy in this body."

These be weighty remarks, and the man who can smile after perusing them can hardly be aware of their significance, or of the purposes for which Heaven gifted mortals with the power of smiling. There is such a thing perhaps as a smile which costs the smiler nothing, but yet if a smile be put in the wrong place, it may be productive of the gravest results. As for ourselves, we intend neither to smile after the Senators remarks nor to permit any of our more wicked and thirsty readers to do so, but to draw from them a philosophical moral for the instruction of Senators and the guidance of the American people.

The lesson to be derived is the moral power of a smile. It is not to be supposed that the Senator had the intention of smiling without a purpose. Physiologists tell us that every movement of a muscle involves the expenditure of force and the exhaustion of the physical powers. In the simple act of smiling, some thirty-three facial muscles are called into motion—not to speak of the preliminary motions of the brain. To smile, therefore, on rising to speak, before beginning the speech, during its course and after its close, adds enormously to the amount of effort required in its delivery; and if naught be thereby added to its effectiveness, there is just so much dead wood. But, on the other hand, if, by smiling when you rise to make a speech, you put your hearers in a good humor; if by another smile, just before beginning, you rivet their attention; if, by a continuous succession of smiles as you go along, you make yourself tolerable; and if, by rounding off with a smile and appending another as you sit down, you induce a belief in your convictions and a vote for your bill, can it be said that the thing is destitute of moral power? That the results we have just enumerated are sure to follow we appeal to the records of Congress. We appeal to the records of other legislative bodies. Lord Palmerston had always a smile on his face, and where was there ever so successful a minister? Mr. Bright never smiles, and rarely carries a measure. The face of the Marquis de Boissy is always wreathed in smiles, while the countenance of M. Rouher is leaden as his speeches. We do not care about going into an enumeration of all the members of Congress who are capable of indulging in smiles, and who take pains to bring them to the surface as frequently as our text inculcates; but let any interested reader procure the photographs of members and examine the expression of countenance each one assumed while being taken, and then let him read the speeches, study the measures, and examine the votes from day to day, photographs in hand; and our word for it, he will find that members are just successful in their oratory and their schemes, in proportion to the sweetness and frequency of the smiles which hover around their countenances. The most mischievous members of Congress in precipitating the great rebellion were men who never opened or closed their speeches with a smile. Toombs had a permanent scowl on his face; Wigfall occasionally leered—the very opposite of such smiling as Senator Sprague descanted upon; Mason accompanied his speeches with good gestures, but no sweet smiles; Benjamin occasionally smiled, and so also did Jeff. Davis, but they were the mean, designing, smirking smiles of the political conspirator, and not such luminous effusions as characterize the noble soul.

Viewed in this light, and by these examples and great results, the reader can appreciate the inherent significance, the moral power, and the legislative force of a smile. And he will be able to appreciate the Senatorial philosopher who has brought the subject to our attention, and who illustrates its value in his own career.

We close by calling general attention to a public duty that now looms up in importance. In choosing Senators and members of the House, they must see to it that they elect men who know how to smile, and not only know how, but who do smile. Watch their faces when they rise to deliver a speech, scan them as they commence, keep an eye on them as they proceed, note them closely as they wind up, and give them a parting glance as they retire to the rear. If no radiant smiles suffuse their faces, cough them down and vote them down. But if, on the other hand, smiles play on their features as the sunshine on the lea, be assured that they have those qualities and qualifications that will illuminate and illustrate their country's history, and vote for them early and often.

Fenian Diplomacy Against British Gold.

The managers of the Fenian movement are smart men. They have contrived to keep up for many months a paying excitement upon most insignificant capital. They have been shrewd enough to use that Archimedean lever, the Press, to no inconsiderable extent; and through the indorsement of certain newspapers they have been able to collect the shekels that represent kid gloves, muskets, patent-leather boots, powder-horns, beaver overcoats and eight-inch shells.

There is an irresistible magnetism in excitement, and we confess that the blather of these Fenian leaders has somewhat affected us. We have been moved to look forward to St. Patrick's day as the birthday of a new nation—the auspicious morn when the real Ireland should be born. Imagine our disappointment upon receiving that mysterious document from Union-square which we printed yesterday, stating, upon what it calls indisputable authority, that all the noise and confusion stirred up of late in Canada is a base subterfuge of the tyrannical Government of Great Britain—that the Fenians are not going to Canada at all, but are making a direct push for the Green Isle itself, when the bothering Saxon creates a diversion by getting up a story, that Canada is on the point of being gobbled. It is comforting to know that the Fenians don't want Canada; that they will have Ireland or death, et cetera; that the shivering Kanucks may snore in peace for a time; that—but stop. May not this Fenian manifesto be a shrewd trick to throw us off the scent? Is it beyond possibility that an Irishman can keep a secret? Perhaps this may be a master-stroke of policy, and the astounded creation may wake up to the fact that after all, Canada *is* the grand objective, that Great Britain has lost her most expensive jewel, and that, for the first time in history, Bank of England gold did *not* buy up the managers of an Irish Liberation.

Yet we dubitate. "Things is mixed." These shrewd Fenians are cornered, and there is no telling what such desperate men may do. The sinews of war slacken; Biddy and Patrick are clamorous for results, and are becoming chary of nickels. The occurrence of their Patron Saint's natal day is suggestive; for if an Irishman will not fight upon St. Patrick's day, he will not fight at all. It is the confident expectation of every true son of Erin who believes in Fenianism, that the great achievement *must* come off on Saturday next. To fail on or before that day, will be to fail for ever, and to set back Irish freedom half a century, just as the failures of Wolf Tone and Smith O'Brien did in their day. Again the cry is: "Now or never!" If St. Patrick will not lead you, who shall be his substitute?

This manifesto, or plea in abatement, has a suspicious look. We have heard that yarn about British gold almost annually for a quarter of a century. We have voted against that gold many a time and oft, and generally got licked; but it was a great relief to flout the triumphant other-side with the charge that they were "bought up with British gold," when not a man of them ever possessed a piece of that metal, nor ever expected to enjoy such an exhilarating privilege. So, stick to the British gold, good Fenians. *If* you seize Canada and hoist Ireland into the rank of a Republic, you will have the proud satisfaction of being the first of your kind who have successfully resisted the metallic voice of the yellow charmer of Threadneedle-street; if you fail—but, with such leaders, "there is no such word as fail." A listening and a breathless world is waiting for the grand result.

The Peabody Charity.

The wealthy benefactor of the poor in London—Mr. George Peabody—not satisfied with his princely gift of $750,000 (gold) in 1862, to found lodging-houses, has appropriated another $500,000 for a similar object. This large sum is to be disbursed by the same trustees for the purpose of building lodging-houses for the laboring poor of London, without reference to "their religious belief or political bias." But, taught by his former experience, Mr. Peabody now proposes to enlarge the scope of his charity. London is suffering under the same evils as New-York—of an immense massing of business within a narrow space of the "city," so that and there reaches the fabulous prices which it has attained in our lower business streets. The consequence is that the poor are necessarily driven out from the commercial quarters, and must seek for residences at a greater distance from the metropolis. Mr. Peabody proposes that the trustees should seek out such sites as they may think best, anywhere within ten miles from the centre of London, but as near railroad accommodations as may be possible; and he suggests that economical arrangements might be made with the railway companies to convey the laboring population to and from the city. He proposes also that buildings be erected in connection with his lodging-houses, for schools or educational purposes, as such places may be at a distance from good schools. And with the practical American's idea of education, he desires that such schools should be separated entirely from denominational and sectarian influences, and that "the course of education should be exclusively of an elementary and literary character." Any one who knows the English difficulties in this matter of popular education, will appreciate the importance and wisdom of this provision of Mr. Peabody's charity. But this benefaction goes still further. The buildings being probably far from markets, and occupied by laboring persons who must pay exorbitant prices for articles of food or for fuel, Mr. Peabody proposes to open rooms in the lodging-houses, or near them, for coöperative stores, where fuel and necessary articles of consumption can be obtained cheaply by the tenants, who will, of course, organize and carry them on.

The present plan is wider, and one reaching more deeply to the evils of tenement population than that of Mr. Peabody's first houses. Its munificent charity, wisdom and liberality of purpose and plan cannot be too highly praised. It will provide salubrious houses under moral supervision, perhaps in pleasant suburban locations, but near railways, with schools and cheap stores and other conveniences for thousands of the working population of London, during centuries to come. It is indeed a noble charity, which will immortalize the name of the donor. To find any fault with it may seem almost ungracious. There has been, however, one generous defect in the former model lodging-houses built by Mr. Peabody's gift. *They cost too much.* Too much was done for the tenants in them, and too much expended in the architecture. If the object of those buildings was only to provide a shelter or home for a few hundred or thousand poor people, there would be no objection to this outlay. But the great purpose in the model house is to show landlords what can be done for tenants in well-ventilated, healthy houses, good moral supervision, perhaps even in combination of purchasers, and at the same time *with a fair profit* on the investment to the owners. The aim is to improve all tenement-houses, and raise all tenants—not those alone of the model houses.

To do this, the buildings must be constructed cheaply, there must be an exact business management, as little must be laid out on ornament or luxury as can be spared, and at the close of the year it must be shown that a percentage profit of moderate proportions has been made.

Mr. Peabody's first houses have not probably netted more than three or four per cent. profit, if even that. No landlords will build good sanitary houses for the poor at that rate of profit. At least seven per cent. should be shown each year.

We trust that in these new and admirably-planned model houses the arrangements will be such as to ensure a fair profit, which can be appropriated for other buildings in other localities; and then we may expect that the average class of landlords will be impelled to so improve and build their tenement-houses as to secure health, comfort and moral supervision to their tenants, while making their seven or ten per cent.

This princely and humane benefaction of our countryman to London naturally awakens the desire that some of our own "merchant princes" might immortalize their names and confer a lasting benefit on New-York by a similar charity to this city.

We need it even more than London. In no civilized city do the poor live so packed and crowded together. A few genuine model tenement-house might change the style of all this class of houses for a generation to come, and thus confer incalculable blessings on the poor of New-York. The model lodgings of London (with strict enforcement of sanitary laws) have changed the whole system of cheap private lodgings for laboring and poor people.

A few model buildings here (with suitable legislation) might do the same with the odious tenement-houses which now poison our poor and afflict the whole city.

What benefactor will do for New-York what Mr. Peabody is attempting to do for London?

Florida.—Florida joins the other Southern States in attempts to secure immigration. A Florida paper now before us says that labor is in great demand on the plantations and farms, and the cities offer advantages to mechanics. The rates of wages it gives as current, would, however, we rather suspect, disappoint the expectations of intending emigrants. Plantation laborers, we are told, receive from ten to fifteen dollars per month, with quarters and food, while mechanics, we are informed, can make from two to three dollars per day. These inducements, at the present time, may not be considered very great to Northern workers and mechanics. But, it is in another matter, that of the procurement of land, that Florida present the greatest attraction to immigrants. Tillable lands can be purchased, in small or large quantities, in all portions of the State, and at prices ranging from a dollar and a quarter to ten dollars per acre. "Immense bodies of State, railroad and granted lands; and lands held by private persons, are now inviting purchasers, and offer splendid advantages to immigrants. Especially in East Florida, on the St. John's and Indian rivers are there abundance of fine lands admirably suited to foreign labor and habits. And it is much better for foreigners to enter the State as owners and tillers of their own soil, than to hire out their labor." We certainly know of no region in the whole of the Southern States more inviting in all respects, to settlers, than Eastern and Northern Florida.

Mr. S. M. Clark and the Currency.

New-York, Tuesday, March 6, 1866.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Your paper, in its Washington correspondence, has repeatedly charged Mr. S. M. Clark with having placed his likeness on the five-cent currency without authority, and this charge has been made the text of a most unkind editorial. Permit me to state that it is *utterly false.* Not only was the change made by authority, but *against* the wishes of Mr. Clark. If any one is to be censured, let it be Gen. Spinner, at whose urgent request Mr. Clark consented to the placing of his portrait on the currency.

It may be well to introduce bills into Congress prohibiting the placing of portraits of "living persons" on the fractional currency, in order to "rebuke ambitious Treasury Clerks;" but will not the "rebuke" strike higher game than "clerks?"

It is strange that the name of one more closely identified with our national currency than any other living man, who has labored day and night to fulfill the duties and perfect the working of the bureau of which he is chief, and whose opinion is held in high regard by his superior officers in the department, can never be mentioned in public prints unless coupled with calumny and abuse. The time will surely come when the people will learn the truth in regard to one of their most faithful and devoted servants.

JUSTICE.

We learn from our Washington correspondent that the face of Mr. Clark was put upon the recent issue of five-cent fractional currency with the consent of Gen. Spinner, United States Treasurer, under whose management all the currency except the National Bank notes is prepared; that Mr. Clark himself suggested it, and that Gen. Spinner, in view of the long connection of Mr. Clark with the Printing Bureau, and his faithful services in that department, concurred in the suggestion; and when it was brought to the notice of Secretary McCulloch, he (Gen. Spinner) assumed all the responsibility of it. The question of calling in the issue is now before the House Committee on Banks and Currency. We are assured that Mr. Clark regrets the whole matter as much as any one.—Ed. Times.

The Butchers and the Board of Health.—A delegation, composed of representative men in the butchering business, met yesterday in consultation with the President of the Board of Health, concerning the necessity of removing slaughter-houses from the centres of dense population. The butchers claimed that their calling could be carried on without detriment to the public health, and that it was quite possible to slaughter animals and yet keep the shambles as clean as a blacksmith's shop or a leather-dealer's warehouse, and quite as savory also. It was announced, however, as a conclusion of the Health Commission, that the business of slaughtering must eventually cease within the densely-populated parts of the city. The discussion of the question was temperate, and the entire conference was marked by good feeling. The butchers presented their side of the question in so forcible a light that the cleansing of all abattoirs, as a temporary expedient, was determined on the part of the Health Commission. The nuisance of driving cattle through the streets was urged as a strong point in favor of the ultimate removal of the slaughter-houses. If, however, this be the greatest evil, we suggest as a remedy what we have before adverted to in these columns, that drovers be required to drive the animals to the shambles by night only.

City Rents.—We hear from many of the cities of the country of a heavy decline in the rates of rent that were demanded a few weeks ago. Even in Washington they have been greatly lowered, and still untenanted houses there are frequent. In fact the landlords in all the cities of the country seem to have been seized with a sort of mania for rent-raising about the beginning of the year—taking no note whatever of the power of tenants to pay, or of the relation between their demands and the business of the country or the profits of merchants, nor yet of the legitimate returns for the capital invested in property or its real value. They caused considerable of a panic for a time, and did great damage to business by unsettling the plans of merchants for the future, and driving many of them from business, altogether. Considering the present condition of affairs and the state of business, we suppose it may now be considered as definitely settled that disappointment will, in most instances, follow their great expectations.

The Loyalists of Texas.—Our special correspondent in Texas has made mention of the present and past bearing of the loyal men of that State. He happens to have inadvertently confounded Judge J. A. Paschal with his brother, Judge George W. Paschal—both loyal men. The latter is now in this City. Two of his sons were in the Union army, and did yoeman service for the cause. The history of the white loyalists of the South has yet to be written. It would, we venture to think, include a far larger class than we have now any adequate notion of.

The Scottish American Journal.

The *Scottish-American Journal,* in the new dress in which it appears, is certainly the handsomest weekly sheet in America. The selections show good taste, and if the editor dealt more gently with radicalism he might possibly please his Scottish patrons better. But on that point the sturdy Caledonians are, perhaps, themselves the best judges. The *Scottish-American,* at all events, is healthy in tone, and we have pleasure in wishing it abundant success.

An Alarming Fact.—Intelligence was received yesterday at the rooms of the American Seamen's Friend Society, that a few days since a vessel on which they had placed one of their sailors' libraries, had been boarded in an Irish port by an English detective, who insisted upon examining the craft. Coming upon this library, he took down a book here and there, and finding one named *Alarming Facts,* at once turned to the Captain and demanded to know who was in charge of the library. Upon being told, he ordered the sailor under arrest, and kept him in confinement for twenty-four hours. Then the facts were investigated by higher authority, and the prisoner was released. Perhaps when the scare is over these Englishmen will be ashamed at some phases of the panic into which they have been thrown.

A Successful Experiment.—We note an entirely successful establishment of a coöperative store at Trenton, N. J. This was only recently incorporated by the Legislature of New-Jersey, and has been in operation but a few months. The sales, however, which do not so far include dry goods, already exceed the rate of $50,000 per annum. The business is conducted by an Executive Committee, and the purchases and sales are all for cash. The provision that no person shall hold more than five shares of the common stock does away with the danger of an undue monopoly by any individual. We ask, with our Trenton cotemporary, "may not such enterprises be made generally successful?"

Putrid Meat.—The numerous seizures of putrid meat at various markets of this City disclose a state of things before comparatively unknown to the public, though we presume not to the Market Superintendents. There are some dealers who occupy regular stands who are implicated in this nefarious and reckless business, but we are happy to believe very few. For instance, there are not, that we are aware of, sales of putrid meat within the Washington Market building proper. But there is outside of that market, as of others, a class of peddlers who have hitherto, and almost without interruption, sold refuse flesh of the worst kind. A dollar is with these gentry a common price for a rotten sheep, and so on. There are poor people enough to absorb all that can be offered of this disease-breeding meat, but large quantities of it are put, we understand, to other purposes. Sausages are made of it to a considerable extent for sale in poor and even rich localities, and other delicacies. What wonder that epidemics, such as small-pox, cholera, &c., have so fearful a power over our crowded population. And yet there was and is a Corporation ordinance upon the subject, for *any person* selling diseased meat in any part of the City may be fined $25 for each offence. The mere seizure thereof does not meet these cases; why is not the fine always collected?

Amusements.

Academy of Music.—The third performance of "L'Etoile du Nord" attracted a fashionable attendance last evening, and the work was given with the rarest spirit. It is certainly a delightful opera, and it has been placed on the stage with a care which leaves nothing to be desired. It is massive without being heavy, and dramatic without being tedious. The applause last evening was frequent and well merited. The regular subscription season terminates with the present week. From the 19th to the 26th, inclusive, will be devoted to benefit representations. Then comes Passion week, and the academy will be closed. We are happy to anounce, however, that a short additional season will be given by Mr. Maretzek, commencing on Monday, April 2. Meyerbeer's opera of the "Huguenots" will be the principal attraction. The director announces that he has succeeded in effecting an engagement with Mlle. Carmelina Poch, but whether she is to appear in Meyerbeer's work is not stated.

Oratorio.—The performance of Handel's oratorio, "Samson," by the Harmonic Society, under the direction of Mr. F. L. Ritter, leads us to hope that the society will undertake the study and production of other works similar in character to this. Until lately, the Harmonic Society has only, awakened once a year from a Rip Van Winkle-like sleep, given the "Messiah" on Christmas evening, with more or less success, and then turned round to slumber on its laurels for twelve months longer. But a new life seems to have been infused into its veins, and we are happy to learn that there is now hope of our having regular Winter series of oratorio performances.

The production of "Samson" on Thursday night, was, taken on the whole, a good one. With the exception of one or two the choruses were effectively sung. We regret that so little sympathy is felt by our amateurs in choral singing, the chorus of the other night did not much exceed a hundred and fifty voices, a number altogether unworthy of a large city like New-York.

Among the solo singers, Mme. Raymond Rutter, who sang the part of *Micah,* deserve especial mention. She gave her arias with great pathos, and the noble recitatives belonging to her part, were declaimed with fine coloring and expression, and very distinct enunciation. Miss Brainard also sang with great care on this occasion, particularly in the air "Let the bright seraphim." Mr. Simpson, although deficient in power, sang the music allotted to "Samson," with much taste. Mr. T. R. Thomas, who sang the bass arias, made his first appearance here since his return from England.

The orchestral accompaniments were played by members of Theo. Thomas' orchestra. Mr. Conolly accompanied the recitatives very carefully on a fine Steinway Grand.

The oratorio, which is exceedingly long, was judiciously cut. Fine as the recitatives are, we think they might have sustained even further curtailment. We hope the Harmonic Society will be encouraged by the success of their performance to a still more vigorous activity.

Academy of Music.—Verdi's "Ballo en Maschera" will be played here to-morrow (Friday) evening.

Winter Garden.—The Booth Matinée yesterday was more than usually liberal and interesting. "Ruy Blas" and "Katherine and Petruchio" were played, furnishing an entertainment of almost four hours duration, and drawing an audience which filled the house from parquette to amphitheatre. We have already spoken of Mr. Booth's "*Ruy Blas.*" The interest on the present occasion centered mainly in Shakespeare's comedy—which, in a three-act version, was rendered with much spirit. Mr. Booth's *Petruchio* displays a rollicking breadth of humor, which the audience found extremely enjoyable. It is a well marked and amusing and amusing impersonation Mrs. William Winter—a *débutante*—was the *Katharine.* The lady is known to letters, being an accomplished writer for many journals. She has also, we believe, had some provincial experience in theatrical matters. Mrs. Winter acted with much spirit, and was warmly applauded by the house, being called out after the second act. The *début* gave unmistakeable promise of future excellence.

LOUISIANA.

The New-Orleans City Election—Seizure of Cotton—Sale of Sixty-five Plantations—Death of Hon. J. T. Trotter—Sanitary Measures—Death of M. Langlais, Minister of Finance at Mexico.

New-Orleans, Tuesday, March 13.

Great indifference was shown here yesterday as to the result of the municipal election. A large number of voters did not go to the polls, and especially was this the case with business men.

Judge Kellogg, Collector of Customs, has received notice that the Government authorities at Washington have dismissed all persons engaged in the seizure of property in the South claimed as belonging to the Confederate Government. All the cotton now seized is to be held until a full examination can be had.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis is here *en route* to Canada.

In the Iberville Parish, La., sixty-five plantations sold for what the elaborate machinery upon them originally cost.

Hon. J. T. Trotter, one of the leading Judges of Mississippi, died at Holly Springs last week.

Daily passenger trains are now running on the Jackson Railroad, between New-Orleans and Canton.

The old Ponchartrain Railroad Company have declared a dividend of ten per cent.

Mayor Kennedy has issued a proclamation directing the strictest measures to be taken to clean everybody's premises in preparation for the advent of the cholera. Severe penalties are to be imposed upon all persons found to be delinquent after the 25th inst. in keeping their premises scrupulously clean.

The steamer *Evening Star,* from New-York via Havana, is detained at Quarantine.

M. Langlais, the Minister of Finance sent out from France to the Emperor Maximilian, died suddenly in the City of Mexico on the 25th ult.

Arrived, steamers *Victor* and *Matanzas,* from New-York; ship *Milton,* from do.

TEXAS.

Seizure of 1,700 Bales of Cotton by the Treasury Agents.

New-Orleans, Tuesday, March 13.

The Clarksville correspondent of the Houston *Telegraph* charges that the Treasury agents there have seized 1,700 bales of cotton, which it was well and generally known did not belong to the late Confederacy. Through a third party the Treasury agents offered the owners of the cotton to release it for a consideration of 300 bales. The owners refused this offer, and the cotton was removed at once, at much greater expense than it would have cost the owners. Every effort was made at Clarksville and at New-Orleans to secure the release of the cotton, but it failed.

The Excitement Dying Out—Distribution of Our Volunteer Forces—Unsuccessful Search for Pikes.

Toronto, C. W., Wednesday, March 14.

The Fenian excitement is subsiding. The volunteer force is well distributed at all points on the frontier. Several searches have been made for pikes, but were all unsuccessful.

THE FENIAN REVOLUTION.

No News Yet But Something Wonderful Looked For.

All Eyes Fixed upon St. Patrick's Anniversary.

Strenuous Efforts in Canada to Keep Up the Excitement.

Business Suspended Throughout the City of Montreal.

A Little Run Upon the Savings Banks for their Gold.

Petulance of the People and the Press as to the Duties of the United States.

Cautious Action of the Banks in Regard to Discounts.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

MONTREAL, Wednesday, March 14, 1866.

The excitement in regard to the Fenian foray is still at fever heat. Indeed, public credulity is ready to swallow any rumor, however wild.

Business, of which we never have much, is now at a stand-still, and nobody cares to buy or sell.

As usual in such excitements, there is a run upon the Savings Banks, and the small depositors are converting their balances into gold.

The people and the newspapers are very ill-tempered, and constantly berate the United States Government because they do not restrain the dreadful invaders who are to come—by-and-by—to snatch Canada from the hands of Queen VICTORIA.

Our principal amusements now consists in watching the evolutions of the militia. There are drills many times a day, and the poor victims look the picture of despair.

All our public buildings are strongly guarded; our banks are restricting their discount line to the most well-known and well-approved customers, and they very generally refuse to advance upon any collateral security.

Fenian Mass Meeting at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, March 14.

There was a Fenian mass meeting to-night at the Maryland Institute. The hall was densely crowded.

FROM MEXICO.

Death of M. Langlais—Serious Defection—Miscellaneous.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

MEXICO, Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1866.

M. LANGLAIS, Financial Minister and Secretary of the Treasury of Mexico, died very suddenly, last Friday evening. He was attended by the Emperor's physician, Dr. SHULTZ. The funeral obsequies took place at the Cathedral yesterday. Great excitement prevails in all circles over the event, and allegations that he was poisoned are very common. He had sent his Budget by the last steamer to France. He had also been successful in his plans of retrenchment, and taken away from the Mexicans over three thousand lucrative offices, by abolishing the system of interior Custom-houses. His budget will show also a reduction of all salaries, from the Emperor to the clerks in the departments of Government. The body left yesterday for Vera Cruz, escorted by the Emperor's regiment of Imperial Mexicans.

Gen. CARRASCO, an Imperial Mexican General, with all his command, were ordered to join Gen. MENDEZ on the 13th inst., and instead of obeying orders, marched directly to the camp of Gen. REGULES, the Liberal General, in Michoacan. The French officers are very indignant over this, and the passport system has been most thoroughly enforced during the last week. The Government now requires each person traveling to the interior to give two securities of $1,000 each that they will not aid the enemy.

Great preparations are being made for the national exposition that is to be held here in May. Reports from all the mining districts have been received, and there will, no doubt, be the largest show of minerals ever exhibited in any country. Marble from Cuernavaca and diamonds from Tasco have arrived in the capital; also, large nuggets of gold from Sonora and Oajaca.

Gen. MENDOZA, Political Prefect of the City and Valley of Mexico, has resigned. The General has been ill for a long time, and though hopes are entertained of his recovery, he will not be able to resume the onerous duties of the office for months. He is the ablest of all the Mexican Imperial officers, and under his supervision the valley has been quite renewed in all branches, governmental and agricultural.

MARCAS DE ESPARZA, for many years Governor of the State of Zacatecas, is dead.

Another battle has been fought in Michoacan between the Imperialists under MENDEZ, and the Liberals, commanded by REGULES and CARRASCO, the late Imperial General. The latter have gained a decided triumph, yet MENDEZ, on the retreat from the field, claims a victory. A Mexican never reports a defeat, no matter how badly he is beaten, as the American soldiers who were with SCOTT well remember.

Civil war rages in the City of San Luis Potosi. Everything is in disorder. Parties, by their own conveyance, have arrived in the city this week. The English Consul has left the scene of disturbance.

The Imperialists have defeated a band of Liberals in Tlaxcala, and have been defeated in turn at Ocotlan.

Capt. E. W. TURNER, of the steamer *Manhattan*, will leave for Vera Cruz on the 2d proximo, to take command of this steamer on the 6th inst. He has succeeded in obtaining the subsidy of $5,000 a trip for the line.

The water has been lowered in all the surrounding lakes during the past ten days by GONZALEZ' system of drainage, and there is now no danger of an overflow of the valley this season.

The weather is beautiful, and no sickness prevails.

GEORGIA.

Wreck of the Schooner Sunny South—The Case of Mr. Henry How.

SAVANNAH, Wednesday, March 14.

The schooner *Sunny South*, from New-York 5th, bound to Jacksonville, struck on the Cumberland Island Shoals on the evening of the 10th inst., and run ashore on the Island and is leaking badly. On the morning of the 11th the tide ebbed and flowed in her. A small part of the cargo was discharged.

HENRY HOW, who last week shot and killed a citizen, but was acquitted by a coroner's jury, of accidental shooting, has been reinstated by order of the Military Commander.

Arrived Norwegian bark *Aquia*, St. Thomas.

FIRES.

Burning of a Steam Mill at Long Branch.

LONG BRANCH, Wednesday, March 14.

The Oceanport Steam Mill and four buildings adjoining were burned last evening. A large quantity of sash blinds in the mill, belonging to T. R. JACKSON, Architect of the Astor House Hotel Company was burned, which was insured for $10,000. No insurance is reported on the mill and machinery. The total loss is estimated at $25,000.

A Block of Buildings Destroyed at St. Cloud, Minn.—Loss $35,000.

ST. PAUL, Tuesday, March 13.

A fire at St. Cloud, Minn., on Sunday night, burnt TENBOOD'S block. The following are the names of the losers: Messrs. PATTERSON & SHELLY, ROSENBERGER, and ROBERTS & MILLS, all merchants. Loss $85,000; insured for $25,000.

Fire at Norwich University.

HANOVER, N. H., Tuesday, March 13.

The South Barracks, being the main building of Norwich University, was entirely consumed by fire this evening. The fire broke out in an unoccupied room on the fourth story. Various rumors are afloat as to its origin.

Burning of a Ferry-boat.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, March 14.

The ferry-boat *Covington No. 2* was partially destroyed by fire last night. Loss about $15,000, which was insured.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL.

OUR ALBANY LETTER.

Another Batch of Bills in the Senate—New-York Storage and Lighterage Company—An Important Bill Regulating Storage in New-York—An Immense Street Railroad Project—Rails All Over the City—The National Life Deposit Company—Report on Col. Vandenburgh's Underground Railroad—An Important Bill in the Senate to Change the Assessment Laws—Debate thereon—Fare on the Central Railroad—Another Effort to Increase it.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 14, 1866.

In the Senate to-day Mr. LENT introduced a bill to incorporate the New-York Storage and Lighterage Company, which provides that Henry M. McCorkle, Henry Green, Hayner Lord, Franklin Johnson, Samuel Brownell, and all others who may become stockholders in the Company, shall be a body corporate and politic for the purpose of owning, leasing, holding, erecting and maintaining lands, docks, bulkheads, piers, basins and warehouses, lighters, and for carrying on the business of lightermen, warehousemen and forwarders within the City of New-York and adjacent waters—the corporation to continue for thirty years. The company is prohibited from buying or selling goods, as dealers or on commission, but may receive and collect the customary charges of dockage, wharfage, storage and lighterage for the use of docks, quays, wharves and warehouses, all of which charges shall be a lien on goods and merchandise in their possession. The capital stock is fixed at $200,000, in shares of $100 each, and the company may commence business when $50,000 is subscribed. The stockholders to be individually liable to the extent of their subscriptions.

Mr. LOW introduced a bill in relation to storage in the City of New-York, which provides that the several Presidents of the Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Fire Insurance Underwriters, the Board of Metropolitan Fire Commissioners, and the "Superintendent of Buildings" in the City of New-York, shall, together constitute a Board authorized and empowered to devise, fix and prescribe the manner and method of storing and keeping goods, wares, and merchandise in stores and warehouses in the City of New-York, more particularly with reference to the loading and storage on the several floors in any building, and the particular grades or classes of goods that may be stored together in any one building, and the safety and acceptability of any building for storage purposes. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum, of which a majority may determine any question, and may adopt a "code of storage regulations," which shall be published twice a week for four consecutive weeks in two daily newspapers in said city. All storage shall be subject to these regulations, and any violation by any person or corporation shall be punished by a penalty of $250, for the benefit of the Metropolitan Fire Department, which said department shall enforce and collect the same, and all Courts in the City are required to take cognizance of and inforce the payment of the penalty.

Mr. STANFORD, of Schenectady, introduced a bill incorporating the New-York and Brooklyn Ferry Railroad Company. Erastus C. Benedict, Walter L. Gove, Charles H. Little, Robert M. Ward, Robert C. Hall, A. H. Lockwood and others, are named as corporators, with power to build a street railroad from the foot of Thirtieth-street, North River, to Eleventh-avenue, through Twenty-ninth-street, Broadway, to University-place, Waverly-place, Mercer-street, Canal-street, Elm-street, to Worth, Leonard or Duane street, thence to Centre-street, to Park-row or Chatham-street, to Spruce-street or Beekman-street, to Beaver-street, to Broad-street, to South-street, to the southerly termination of Whitehall-street, near South and Hamilton Ferries; thence through Whitehall-street and Broadway to Beaver-street, to Broad-street, Nassau-street, Park-row or Chatham-street to Centre-street, to Duane-street, to Elm-street, to Canal-street, to Mercer-street, &c., &c. It will be seen that this railway project is very extensive, and ribs over a considerable portion of the City.

Mr. STEVENSON, of New-York, has introduced in the House a bill to incorporate the National Life Deposit Company of the City of New-York, which names as corporators John Q. Preble, Oliver Carpenter, William A. Kobbe, Thomas B. Reed, Lewis J. Phillips, William B. Shattuck, Sylvester C. Parkhurst, George A. Weeks, John Frisbie, Charles D. Bailey, Moses D. Van Pelt, Andrew J. Wood, Charles Scribner, John T. Hill, Alfred B. Darling and others. The business and general object of the corporation are declared to be to receive on deposit as bailee for safe keeping and storage, plate, jewelry, securities, furniture, and other goods and valuables, upon such terms as may be agreed on, and for this purpose may hold real estate, and purchase the same upon mortgage or judgment sales. The capital stock shall be $200,000, divided into shares of $50 each.

The House Committee on Railroads has reported the Broadway Underground Railroad Bill, represented by Cols. VAN BUREN and VANDENBURGH, the latter of whom is the originator of the underground plan, having spent some time in Europe for the purpose of becoming familiar with its characteristics. There is much sympathy for this bill in the House, for the reason that it represents the original parties who got a bill through both Houses last Winter, which was vetoed on account of some non-essential features which the Governor considered objectionable. These features are not to be found in the present bill, and I presume it will pass the House when it is reached.

The Senate, last evening, considered an important bill introduced by Mr. LOW, making a complete change in the assessment laws. It provides, in substance, that the Assessors shall in each year, by the 10th day of May, furnish to each adult, male and female, inhabitant in their town or ward, and to each minor known to possess property therein, a printed schedule, in a form to be provided by the Comptroller, in such a manner as to show, under appropriate and separate columns, the full and true name, number, description, character, and value of all goods, wares, merchandise, moneys, credits, investments in bonds, stocks, joint stock companies, United States bonds, and all other personal property owned or possessed by such person. The law is exceedingly stringent in its provisions, requiring among other things, that each person receiving the schedule shall give an account of each gold watch, piano-forte, melodeon, or other musical instrument possessed by such person. The return of each person on the foregoing schedule is to be verified by oath or affirmation as to its correctness on or before the 10th day of June. Failure to make such return to the Assessors, is to be punished as a misdemeanor by fine or imprisonment, or both, and any false statement to be punished as perjury.

The bill led to an animated debate. The great argument in its favor, made by Senators LOW and SESSIONS, is that it will reach an immense amount of personal property that ought to bear its share of the public burden, and which now escapes altogether under the lax administration of the present assessment laws. Real estate holders complain that while their property pays taxes to the utmost, the wealthy man who holds bonds, mortgages and other personal property, escapes without bearing his share. The advocates of the bill claim that the system proposed has already worked well under the United States Internal Revenue laws, and that, if adopted, it would reach millions of dollars of personal property that now pays no taxes at all.

I learn on undoubted authority that one of the most prominent Republicans in the House, and a leading man in the politics of the State, has become convinced that there is a necessity for a temporary increase of fare on the Central Railroad, and that he will shortly introduce a bill for that purpose. Its introduction will be the signal for another animated struggle, equal to that which ended last year in an Executive veto.

PERSIMMON.

Commissioners of Charities.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 14.

The Governor has appointed, by and with the consent of the Senate, the following named as Commissioners to supervise the expenditure of moneys raised and collected for certain charitable institutions in New-York City, under chapter 289 of the laws of 1840:

Dr. Thomas C. Chalmers, Parke Godwin, Daniel D. T. Marshall, Ira O. Miller and Apollos R. Wetmore.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 14.

BILLS REPORTED.

Amending the charter of the United States Warehouse Company.

Incorporating the National Warehouse and Security Company.

Directing the removal of the railroad track in Thompson-street, and to change the route of the Broadway and Seventh-avenue Railroad Company.

Authorizing the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Company to extend their tracks, and authorizing the Ninth-avenue Railroad to use the same.

For the relief of the Union Trust Company.

BILLS NOTICED.

To incorporate the American Epidemicological Society.

Amending the act relative to the Croton Water Department. It relates to the grade of the Eighth-avenue, New-York.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. KLINE—Authorizing the construction of a Suspension Railroad in Broadway and other streets in the City of New-York.

By Mr. STANFORD—To incorporate the New-York and Brooklyn Ferry Railroad Company.

BILLS PASSED.

Relative to lands devised by SIMON BERGEN, deceased, late of Brooklyn.

Fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Kings County at $2,500.

Authorizing the extension of the Chenango Canal. It appropriates $270,000.

Authorizing the Board of Health of Yonkers to purchase certain real estate for sanitary purposes.

Amending the act for the extension of certain streets in Brooklyn and the East River.

Authorizing attorneys and counselors of the Supreme Court residing in adjoining States to practice in courts of this State.

Mr. LENT introduced a bill to incorporate the New-York Storage and Lighterage Company.

Also the bill authorising the construction and use of a building in Burling-slip.

The bill incorporating the Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis of New-York, was advanced to a third reading.

Adjourned.

ASSEMBLY.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 14.

REPORTS.

By Mr. BRANDRETH—To incorporate the Metropolitan Improvement Company.

By Mr. JENKINS—To amend the Public Charity and Correction Department Act of New-York, so as to enable the Comptroller to more speedily raise the money required under said act.

By Mr. A. L. REYNOLDS—To amend the Hudson City Charter.

By Mr. MAURICE—To incorporate the Rockaway Beach Hotel Company; also for the formation of the Rockaway Beach Land and Improvement Company.

BILLS PASSED.

To regulate the use of boats and vessels within the Metropolitan District.

Relative to the public markets in New-York.

To amend the charter of the New-York Juvenile Asylum.

To limit the tenure of office in the New-York National Guard.

To incorporate the New-York Mutual Gas Light Company.

To incorporate the Jamaica Savings Bank.

Adjourned.

THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

The Investigation Resumed—Evidence of Mr. James L. Jackson, Mr. Cheney, Mr. Badger, Mr. Michael Rowley and Mr. Joseph B. Young.

On Monday, the Committee of the Board of Supervisors, appointed to investigate the charges of corruption brought against the Committee on the construction of the new Court-house, met at 3 o'clock, Mr. Fox in the chair.

Mr. James L. Jackson testified: That he was a member of the firm of James L. Jackson & Brothers; that he had received a communication from Mayor Gunther in relation to the new Court-house, and answered it; he was familiar with the cost of iron and iron buildings in 1863; in 1863 the value of iron window frames and trimmings suitable for the Court-house, if heavy and large would have been ten cents per pound; if light they would be worth more; for iron stairs the price would have been twelve cents per pound; for iron doors, shutters, jams, &c., twelve and a half; girders, twelve cents; rolled beams, bolts, &c., ten cents; iron dome, eleven cents; grating, eight cents; anchors, seven and a half cents; window and door lintels, four and a half cents; illuminating tile for floors, $4 50 per foot; would have taken a contract at that time at those rates; the rates were based on the then price of iron; the prices would have allowed a profit; was not invited to send in proposals for the Court-house; made application to Supervisor WEISSMANN in regard to the contract; Cornell & Co., Geo. R. Jackson & Co., Architectural Iron Works; Fowler, Kirkland & Co., and J. L. Jackson & Bros., were capable of doing all the iron work on the Court-house; in 1863, if we had obtained the contract, we could have made contracts for iron to carry it out; don't know at what prices; on obtaining contracts we buy up material at the time; in September, 1863, iron was lower than in the Winter of 1864 by about $5 per ton, or about 15 per cent.; the same iron that I paid $33 per ton for in September, 1863, in August, 1864, I paid $60 for.

Cross-examined by Mr. Cram.—Pig iron did not go as high as $85 that I know of; it did not go higher than $75; my estimates were not made with any expectation of getting the contract; did not know that those estimates were to be used to attack the contract already made, but supposed they were; the estimates were made on the then value of iron; there would have been a difficulty in making contracts for iron at that time; the rates of wages have nearly doubled since that time; our estimates were made on a calculation to allow us from 15 to 20 per cent. profit; taking into consideration the rise in iron and labor we should have lost money had we got the contract at our prices; cannot name any fire-proof building that we have done the iron work for within five years past; I acted with four others as an appraiser in regard to the iron work done on Harlem Bridge by Mr. Roach; Mr. Roach made application for extra pay in view of the increase in the price of iron and labor; the iron that he had charged nine cents per pound for we appraised as being worth sixteen cents per pound; considerable change was made in the plans of the bridge, but my appraisement took into consideration, chiefly, the increased value of iron.

Mr. Nathaniel Cheney deposed that he was Vice President of the Architectural Iron Works; in September, 1863, iron window-frames and trimmings were worth 10c. per pound; stairs 8c.; those are the prices we were supplying them for. Iron doors were worth 8c. to 10c. per pound; rolled beams, girders, anchors, &c., 8c. per pound; iron dome and frame, 6c.; our Company was not invited to bid for the work on the Court-house; don't know at what prices the contract was given; our Company in 1863 did the iron work for the Kings County Court-house, the Hamilton Ferry-house, and other buildings; our prices corresponded with those I have given.

Cross-examined by Mr. Cram: Some of the prices were higher, some less; the prices I have given correspond with the estimates given Mayor Gunther by our Company; our Company had nothing to do with the printing of the pamphlet entitled "How the City is Swindled;" suppose Mr. Reid made the estimate sent to the Mayor by our Company; we generally estimate for a profit of 20 per cent; the prices of window frames and other articles vary from 10 to 30 cents per pound, according to finish; the dome roof and frame together were worth 11 cents per pound; the supports were worth 6 cents; we furnished the window trimmings for Brown Brothers' Banking-house; the price was about 18 or 20 cents per pound; we expect a profit on all our work of 20 per cent.; we have put up some iron roofing within the last two years; the price was 10 to 12½ cents per pound; for some small quantities we got 15 cents; the patent illuminating tile is worth $7 50 per foot; in 1863 it was $6 50; we completed the work on the Kings County Court-house in 1865; we claimed an addition of 50 per cent. on our contract prices for loss sustained by us; we have not received the whole of it; only a part; we also made a claim for loss on work done on the ferry-house, but did not get it.

Mr. Daniel D. Badger deposed that he was President of the Architectural Iron Works; in 1863 window frames were worth eight cents per pound; stairs about ten cents; doors ten to twelve cents; wrought-iron girders eight to ten cents; beams seven to eight cents; iron dome and frame nine cents.

Cross-examined by Mr. Cram—At these prices we should have sustained a loss if we had received the contract for the new Court-house; did not examine the estimates given Mayor GUNTHER closely; should have done so if we had expected to get the contract; prices of various articles vary according to the finish; the variation is not over one-half a cent per pound; in 1863, they might have varied a cent or two per pound; for the window frames supplied Brown Brothers banking house we got from fifteen cents to eighteen cents per pound; it might have been more; it might have been twenty cents; in 1865 bar-iron went up to $220 per ton; pig-iron to $75; in 1863 bar-iron was worth $60; boiler-iron has been as high as nine cents for the very best; the lowest price was three and a quarter cents; that was in 1863.

The Committee met again yesterday, Mr. Fox in the chair.

Supervisor Ely desired the Committee to ask Mr. Kellum, the architect, to furnish a statement of the number of cubic feet of brick used in the construction of the Court-house.

Mr. Fox said that this was unnecessary, as the vouchers were in the Comptroller's office, where they could be seen.

Supervisor Ely said they might get the vouchers for six millions and a half of brick in the Comptroller's Office, but not the number of cubic feet of brick used in the construction.

Mr. Fox said the Committee did not feel like going into such matters. They were there to take evidence, not to receive written statements.

Mr. Anthon said it was proposed to have such a statement for the convenience of Mr. Kellum, merely to refresh his memory in giving testimony.

Mr. Fox said the Committee would agree to have Mr. Kellum called as a witness.

Mr. Michael Rowley, being sworn, testified that he was in the employ of Fowler, Kirkland & Co.; that he was familiar with the iron business; remembered making an estimate for his employers to send to Mayor Gunther; had been in the iron business for fifty years; made the estimate in the usual way; calculated the price of material at the time; we could have done the work according to that estimate at that time; the estimate was handed into the office under the impression that it would reach its proper destination.

Cross-examined by Mr. Cram—His house was principally employed in work on public buildings; they had done the work for one building in New-York since 1863; it was on the site of the old Assembly Rooms; he was always furnished with the prices of iron by persons whose business it was to know them at the times when he made estimates; he had made estimates frequently on description of the place without the plan itself; he did so in this case; beyond that he could tell him.

Mr. Cram—I do not wish you to tell me anything, but simply to answer questions.

Mr. Fox (to the witness)—Only answer questions.

Witness—Am I done?

Mr. Cram—Yes, you are done, and we are obliged to you.

Mr. Joseph B. Young testified that he was Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in 1864; a communication was received from the Mayor on the 26th of April, 1864, relative to the prices of iron used in the new Court-house; it was not recorded in full in the minutes.

What disposition was made of that communication?

Mr. Cram objected to this question. He said it was not the duty of the Committee to hear a statement of the speeches which were made in the Board of Supervisors at any particular meeting. Such questions were calculated to consume time. The business of the Committee was to inquire into the charge of fraud and not to listen to a repetition of debates which had taken place in the Board two years ago.

Mr. Clinton said he meant to show that the communication in question was referred to the very Committee now charged with fraud, and that Committee although furnished that opportunity to purge itself of the charge of fraud, never reported upon the communication, a course of conduct which must be deemed as *prima facie* evidence of fraud; they also desired to prove that the communication was not even read in the Board. It was not proposed to consume time by having old debates repeated to the Committee.

Mr. Fox—The Committee sustains the objection.

Examination resumed—I have that communication; I can produce it.

Mr. Fox—The Committee have objected to documentary evidence from the beginning.

Mr. Anthon—Am I to understand the Chairman that no documentary testimony is to be admitted? I want to understand, so that we may not misunderstand each other hereafter.

Mr. Cram said this was an extraordinary method of proceeding. It was improper to make provision as for the future as to what testimony should be admitted, and what not. He supposed the question was to be "will the witness produce that communication?"

Here Supervisor Hayes, of the Committee, handed the communication to the witness.

Witness—It is here.

Mr. Anthon—Have you had that paper in your possession ever since the time it came into the Board till now?

Mr. Cram objected.

Objection sustained.

Witness—I consider the paper in my possession when in the hands of a Supervisor.

Supervisor Ely desired to have Mr. Kellum called, to testify as to the quantity of marble used in the construction of the Court-house.

Mr. Cram said he hoped they would finish the iron department first, as he did not desire to dream of iron and marble in one mixture.

Mr. Anthon said they would endeavor to protect the gentleman's dreams from any mixture.

After completing arrangements for witnesses to be called to-day, the Committee adjourned till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

In order that a comparison may be made between the prices of iron work, as estimated by Mr. FOWLER and others, and those actually paid by the Committee, we give below the

CONTRACT PRICES.

	Per Pound.
Window frames and trimmings	18c.
Stairs and wainscoting	17½c.
Doors and shutters	18½c.
Girders	15½c.
Beams	11¼c.
Dome and roof	16c.
Area-grating	9½c.
Anchors	7½c.
Windows and door lintels	4¾c.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Death of Jared Sparks.

BOSTON, Wednesday, March 14.

JARED SPARKS, the historian and Ex-President of Harvard College, died at his residence in Cambridge this forenoon of pneumonia.

The Asia Outward Bound.

BOSTON, Wednesday, March 14.

The steamship *Asia* sailed this morning, taking 23 passengers for Halifax and 43 for Liverpool. She also takes out $10,000 in specie and $5,000 in five-twenties.

From Fortress Monroe.

FORTRESS MONROE, Tuesday, March 13.

The United States gunboat *Don* arrived this afternoon from New-York and awaits orders. The steamer *Ocean Wave* sailed to-day for Mobile.

OBITUARY.

Hon. Jared Sparks.

JARED SPARKS, the intelligence of whose decease will be found in another column, was born at Willington, Conn., on May 10, 1789, and graduated at Harvard in 1815. The earlier years of his life had been devoted to agriculture and mechanical pursuits, but the bent of his mind was toward the acquisition and imparting of knowledge. A careful and painstaking student, his progress was certain and rapid. After his graduation he studied theology at Cambridge, and in 1817, at the age of 28 years, became tutor in mathematics and natural philosophy, a position which he held two years. During this period he became one of the conductors of the *North American Review*, of which periodical he afterward was for several years the sole proprietor. In 1819 Mr. SPARKS entered upon the charge of a Unitarian congregation in Baltimore, which he continued until 1823, when from ill health he was compelled to resign. During his pastorate he had been actively engaged in theological literature, publishing, in addition to an able controversial work on the Protestant Established Church, the "Unitarian Miscellany," which he founded, and the pages of which were almost entirely contributed by his pen, and editing a collection of theological essays by various authors, the publication of which was completed in 1826. Mr. SPARKS, on his resignation, removed to Boston and purchased the *North American Review*, which for seven years he edited. In 1828 he published a life of JOHN LEDYARD, containing many new particulars of that distinguished traveler. The first work which gave him his high rank as an historian was the "Life and Writings of George Washington," published in 1834–7, in twelve volumes. This book occupied about nine years in its production, and its value was much enhanced by the laborious researches of the author, both in the United States and Europe. During the preparation of the "Life of Washington," Mr. SPARKS made two other contributions to American history—the "Diplomatic Correspondence of the American Revolution," in 12 volumes, and a "Life of Gov. Morris," in 3 volumes. In 1830 he also established the "American Almanac," and edited the first volume. The "Library of American Biography," of 25 volumes—in two series, one of 10 volumes, 1834–8, and one of 15 volumes, 1844–8—was of his editing. The "Works of Benjamin Franklin," with memoir of the author, and notes, 10 volumes, appeared in 1840, after which Mr. SPARKS again visited Europe. While on this visit he discovered in the French archives the celebrated Red-line Map, which became a prominent topic in connection with the Ashburton Treaty. The last of his historical works was "Correspondence of the American Revolution," in 4 volumes, which was published in 1854.

In addition to his labors in authorship Mr. SPARKS was, from 1839 to 1849, Professor of History in Harvard College, and President of the College from 1849 to 1852. As a writer his style was simple and accurate, and all his works are characterized by thorough research, candor and impartiality. They are regarded in fact as among the most valuable of any that have appeared upon American history.

William Wright, Author of "The Oil Regions of Pennsylvania," &c.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. W. WRIGHT, which took place in Paterson, N. J., upon Tuesday evening last. Mr. WRIGHT was born at Boardmills, near Lisburn, Ireland. He came to this country about seventeen years ago, and settled near Paterson, where he was engaged for a short time in teaching school. About ten years ago he moved into Paterson and started a Republican journal—at that time the only organ of the party, with a single exception, in the State of New-Jersey. He took an active part in the campaign for the Presidency in 1856, advocating the election of Gen. FREMONT; and chiefly through his exertions Paterson, for the first time in its history, gave a majority against the Democratic Party. After conducting his paper with marked success for several years in Paterson, Mr. WRIGHT sold out and came to New-York. He was connected for a short time with the *Evening Post*, and afterward for several years with the *Commercial Advertiser*. He contributed, also, largely to other daily and weekly papers in New-York. About two years ago he returned to Paterson and started the Paterson *Press*. The Union Party which had been defeated during his absence, immediately felt the beneficial effects of his return. Through his influence, Paterson was again rescued from the control of the Pro-Slavery Party, and is now, we believe, one of the strongest Union districts in New-Jersey. Mr. WRIGHT, however, gained nothing by this change, except the consciousness of having done his duty. Owing to some differences with his party friends he sold out and again returned to this City. He devoted his attention for a considerable time to the oil region, and prepared a work on the subject which has been very favorably noticed by the Press. He commenced, only a few months ago, the *Monthly Review* and was succeeding beyond his expectations, when an attack of dropsy terminated his career. Mr. WRIGHT was about 42 years of age. He leaves a wife and eight young children unprovided for.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

A POLICEMAN SHOOTS A THIEF.—Some two or three weeks ago MARTIN FURLONG, residing at No. 159 Cherry-street, was garroted and robbed of a watch in Water-street. Subsequently the timekeeper was found in the possession of a young man, who stated that he had purchased it from JOHN SHELLY, a man well known to the Police as a garroter. Officer COLE, of the Seventh Precinct, has been for some days past on the lookout for SHELLY, and yesterday caught sight of him in Water-street, near Catharine. He seized the accused, but the latter succeeded in breaking away from COLE and escaped. Officer WOODWARD, of the Seventh Precinct, joined in the chase, and coming near SHELLY, ordered him to halt, twice, when, finding that the accused would probably succeed in escaping, WOODWARD drew his revolver and fired. The ball took effect in the upper part of SHELLY'S right thigh, inflicting a severe though not fatal wound. The wounded man was removed to the Station-house in Madison-street, where the ball was extracted by Police Surgeon BLIVEN. SHELLY is a native of this City and 21 years of age. He remains in custody for the present at the Police-station.

ANNIVERSARY REUNION OF THE LITERARY CONSTELLATION.—Last evening the officers and members of the "Literary Constellation" gave their first annual ball and social reunion at Irving Hall. The programme of the evening's entertainment included a *recherché* supper, at which the usual round of toasts were drank, and appropriate speeches delivered by Messrs. ALEX. BLUMENTHAL and BARNET BILDERSEE, the President and Vice-President of the Association, and by Messrs. ED. LAUTERBACH, ALBERT L. WOOLF, J. L. SUIK and others. The attendance of guests was quite large, and the appearance of the ball-room during the progress of festivities was both brilliant and fashionable. The "Literary Constellation" is a society composed of young men connected with nearly every department of literature, and as such has attained a high rank among its sister societies. Through the exertions of Messrs. BLUMENTHAL, BILDERSEE, J. M. COHEN, WOOLF and E. M. COHEN, the efficient officers of the Association, the programme of the evening was carried through to a most successful end.

MAP OF VENEZUELA.—The steady increase of our commerce with Venezuela is daily bringing that South American Republic into closer connection with the United States, and rendering accurate information regarding it more desirable. Messrs. POND & KYLE, of this City, have done their part toward meeting this want by issuing a map of Venezuela, based upon the latest surveys, with its changes marked down to the present time, by Col. R. ROSSA. It lays down every point, no matter how small, and, as an exhibit of the topography of Venezuela, it has no rival.

THE NEW COMMERCIAL PAPER.—We have received a copy of the *New-York Ship News*, a new weekly. It is a quarto of fair typography and devoted to shipping interests. Published by H. D. BEACH, Nos. 64 and 66 Broadway. It commends itself, by its shipping reports, to merchants and seamen.

QUICK PASSAGE TO SAN FRANCISCO.—The new clipper ship *Seminole*, HOLMES, Master, that sailed from New-York 5th December, arrived out 10th inst., 96 days from New-York.

Coroner's Inquests.

DEATH FROM BURNS.

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner WILDEY, on the body of ROSE KELLY, at the residence of Mr. BROWN, in One Hundred and Twentieth-street, near Second-avenue, where the deceased had been employed as a domestic. It appears that the woman was left in charge of the premises by the family, on Sunday evening, and that on their return ROSE was found lying on the floor suffering from the effects of severe burns received by her clothes catching fire from the grate. The house was also on fire, causing, however, but slight damage. After lingering in great agony until Tuesday evening, the woman expired. A verdict of accidental death was recorded. The deceased was 50 years of age and a native of Ireland.

A FATAL FALL.

Coroner COLLIN held an inquest yesterday morning at No. 366 Avenue A, on the body of SOLOMAN BLANK, aged 12 years, whose death was the result of compression of the brain, caused by an accidental fall on the pavement near his parents' residence, on the 8th inst. A verdict in accordance with the facts was rendered by the jury.

American Machinery Abroad.

The London *Times* and the largest English newspapers are printed by HOE'S presses. American reapers, and other agricultural implements, take the lead in England, and our sewing-machines may now be found in every well-ordered British household. The *Court Journal*, in a recent issue, describes a handsome sewing-machine which has been made for an English lady of high rank. We quote the paragraph:

"As the sewing-machine has been advanced gradually from purely manufacturing uses to a household position, and thence to an adjunct of the duties of a refined home, Messrs. GROVER & BAKER, of No. 150 Regent-street, have wisely catered for the supply in a more elegant form, and the machines they have now brought before the public present the appearance of cabinets, and are made in various woods. This firm has just completed a machine, designed and ornamented expressly for a lady of rank, which surpasses for elegance anything of the kind ever seen. The table and stand are of satin-wood, inlaid with tulip-wood, with carved border and richly gilt. The machine itself is silver-plated, inlaid with pearl, and most delicately tinted. It has been pronounced by all who have seen it as perfection."

There is quite a controversy going on in another English periodical, the *Queen*, with regard to the qualities and advantages of the different American sewing-machines. A correspondent of the last-mentioned paper writes:

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—*Home Journal.*

The Washington Insurance Company.

The assets of this Company are nearly seven hundred thousand dollars; they have just declared their semi-annual dividend of six per cent. to their stockholders, and a scrip dividend of twenty per cent. to their participating policy holders; four hundred thousand have been received in premiums during the year, and their patrons have been reimbursed their losses to the extent of half that amount.

Their income for the last twelve months was nearly five hundred thousand, and they have returned to their shareholders three-quarters of their principal since the commencement of the participative system. In a period marked with numerous and extensive conflagrations, thirty-five thousand has been added to the surplus fund.

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MARRIED.

FORNACHON—BEECHER.—On Wednesday, March 14, at Calvary Church, by Rev. Dr. Washburn, Mr. JOSEPH FORNACHON and Miss LOUISE M. BEECHER, both of this city. No cards.

DIED.

CURRIE.—At New-Utrecht, L. I., on Tuesday, March 13, Rev. R. ORMISTON CURRIE, D. D., in the 61st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, and the members of the Long Island Bible Society, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral at the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, New-Utrecht, on Friday, the 16th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. An extra train will run on the Bath and Coney Island Dummy Railroad, connecting with all cars to Greenwood, leaving there at 3 o'clock P. M.

CLAPP.—At Bridgeport, Conn., on Wednesday morning, March 14, STILLMAN S. CLAPP, in the 61st year of his age.

The funeral services will take place at Christ's Church, Bridgeport, on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Trains leave 27th-st. Station at 12:15 P. M.

DOUBLEDAY.—On Sunday, March 11, in Belvidere, Ill., ULYSSES F. DOUBLEDAY, formerly of this city, aged 72 years.

GIBSON.—On Tuesday, March 13, CAROLINE M., wife of Commander Alexander Gibson, U. S. N.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Thursday at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 411 Pacific-st., Brooklyn.

KINCH.—On Tuesday, March 13, REBECCA, relict of the late William Kinch, in the 87th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from Christ Church, corner 5th-av. and 35th-st., on Friday, at 1½ o'clock, without further invitation.

LLOYD.—In this city, on Monday, March 12, CAROLINE B., wife of Henry Lloyd, and daughter of the late Jacob Brandegee.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at St. Patrick's Cathedral this (Thursday) morning at 10½ o'clock, when a solemn High Mass of Requiem will be offered up for the repose of her soul.

LOCKWOOD.—At Newark, N. J., on Tuesday evening, March 13, of congestion of the lungs, DANIEL W. LOCKWOOD, aged 47 years.

His relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at Grace Church, corner of Broad and Walnut sts., Newark, on Saturday at 11 o'clock A. M. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Carriages will be at Market-st. Station on the arrival of the 9 o'clock train from New-York.

POTTER.—At Madison, N. J., on Monday, March 12, in the 81st year of her age, ELIZABETH ELMER, widow of Ellis Potter.

The funeral services will take place at Grace Church, Madison, on Thursday, March 15, at 11 A. M. Trains by Morris and Essex Railroad leave at 8:30 A. M.

POWELL.—On Monday, March 12, MARY M., relict of Geo. P. Powell, aged 82 years.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral on Thursday, the 15th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M., from her late residence at Fordham. Carriages will be in waiting at Tremont to meet the Harlem Railroad train which leaves 26th-st. station at 2:30 P. M.

PENDLETON.—At New-Orleans, on Saturday morning, March 10, JOHN PENDLETON, aged 68 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SHAW.—On Tuesday evening, March 13, EDWARD N. SHAW, aged 29 years.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at St. Thomas' Church, Broadway, corner of Houston-st., on Friday, the 16th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M.

SUTTON.—On Fourth Day morning, (Wednesday,) March 14, JACOB H. SUTTON, in the 74th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral without further notice, from the residence of his son-in-law, William B. Allen, No. 104 Lexington-av., on Sixth Day, (Friday,) at 1 o'clock P. M.

SANDS.—In Brooklyn, on Monday evening, March 12, WILLIAM MALCOLM SANDS, aged 79 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on Thursday afternoon next at 3 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 85 State-st.

WEBB.—On Tuesday morning, March 13, VICTORINE, daughter of James and Catherine Webb.

The relatives and friends of the family, also those of her brothers, Augustus and Edward, and of her brother-in-law, S. S. Palmer, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 62 Morton-st., on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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CASH CAPITAL	$250,000 00
ASSETS, MARCH 1, 1866	281,831 06
LOSSES UNPAID	993 79

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NEW-YORK, March 12, 1866.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SWIFT FARM PETROLEUM AND MINING COMPANY will be held at the Erie Hotel, corner of Washington and Jay sts., on FRIDAY, March 23, from 12 to 1 o'clock, for the election of seven trustees for the ensuing year. By order of
A. A. GADDIS, President.

OFFICE OF CENTRAL PETROLEUM COMPANY,
No. 8 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, March 5, 1866.
THE DIRECTORS OF THE CENTRAL PETROLEUM COMPANY have this day declared a monthly dividend of ONE PER CENT. on the CAPITAL STOCK OF THE COMPANY, payable on the 15th inst.
Transfer-books will be closed from the 12th to the 15th, both days inclusive. AUSTIN STEVENS, Secretary

OFFICE OF THE MANHATTAN INSURANCE CO.,
No. 68 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK,
March 14, 1866.
THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS of this Company will be held at the office, on MONDAY, the 26th instant. The poll will be opened from 12 o'clock M. until 1 o'clock P. M. By order,
GEO. B. HODGSDON, Secretary.

FINANCIAL.

COUPON BONDS
and other Securities, Bullion, Family Plate, &c., safely kept under ample guarantee, at a small annual per centage, or in small SAFES, at an annual rental of $20 to $45, to which ONLY the depositor can have access, in the FIRE and BURGLAR-PROOF VAULTS of the
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(Under special charter from the Legislature of New-York,)
IN THE NEW MARBLE FIRE-PROOF BUILDING,
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Circulars, with terms, &c., &c., sent on application.

PROPOSALS FOR $50,000
OF
"THE WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK OF THE YEAR 1849."
CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 13, 1866.
Sealed proposals will be received at the Comptroller's office, until SATURDAY, March 24, 1866, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened, for the whole or any part of the sum of fifty thousand dollars of "The Water Stock of the City of New-York of the year 1849," authorized by Chapter 30 of the Laws of 1849, and amended by Chapter 109, Laws of 1866.
The said stock will bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable quarter yearly, and the principal will be redeemed on the 1st day of November, 1879.
The proposals will state the amount of stock desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof, and the persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be required to deposit with the Chamberlain of the City the sums awarded to them respectively.
On presenting to the Comptroller, the receipts of the Chamberlain for such deposits, the parties will be entitled to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value of the stock, bearing interest from the dates of payments.
Each proposition should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for the Water Stock of the City of New-York of the year 1849," and inclosed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.
The right is reserved to reject any or all of the bids, if the interests of the Corporation require it.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN,
Comptroller.

U. S. SECURITIES A SPECIALTY.
SMITH, RANDOLPH & CO.,
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No. 16 South 3d-st., Philadelphia. | No. 3 Nassau-st., New-York.
DEALERS IN
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.
BROKERS IN
STOCKS AND GOLD.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the BIG ISLAND AND HUGHES RIVER OIL COMPANY, for the election of Trustees, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 77 Cedar-st., on Wednesday, the 28th inst. Polls open from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. WM. B. HOYT, President.

LAND WARRANTS AND COLLEGE LAND Scrip purchased and for sale by
C. & G. WOODMAN, No. 60 Wall-st.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE TARR FARM PETROLEUM COMPANY,
No. 10 PINE-ST., N. Y., Feb. 28, 1866.
AT A MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TARR FARM PETROLEUM COMPANY, held this day, a Dividend of One Per Cent. for the month of February was declared, payable March 15. The transfer books will be closed from March 10 to 15, inclusive.
J. P. HOGARTH, Secretary.

NINTH DIVIDEND.
CONSOLIDATED PETROLEUM OIL CO.
NEW-YORK, 7th March, 1866.
At a meeting of the Trustees of the Consolidated Petroleum Oil Company held this day, a dividend of one per cent. (1 per cent.) on the capital stock, par value $10 per share, was declared payable on and after the 15th instant. Transfer books will be closed from the 10th to the 15th inst. inclusive.
C. R. GRIFFIN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE JEFFERSON INSURANCE CO.,
No. 68 WALL ST., NEW-YORK, March 12, 1866.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Six per Cent. free of Government tax, payable on demand.
SAMUEL E. BELCHER, Secretary.

SAVINGS BANKS.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
NO. 283 BOWERY.
Six per cent. interest allowed on sums of $1,000 and under—five per cent. on larger sums.
Deposits made on or before April 2, will draw interest from April 1.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 to 7 P. M.
STEPHEN CUTTER, President.
HENRY C. FISHER, Sec'y.

ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK,
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Allows SIX (6) PER CENT. INTEREST to depositors, FREE OF TAX. Deposits from $1 to $5,000 received.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID.
Free from government tax.
THIRD-AVENUE SAVINGS BANK,
Corner of Twenty-sixth-street and Third-avenue.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK.
CANAL-ST., COR. OF VARICK.
DEPOSITS from 10 CENTS to $5,000 received.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST, free of tax.
Deposits in March draw interest from April 1.
ASSETS, $1,802,836 38.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
No. 96 Warren-st.
Open daily from 10 A. M., to 3 P. M.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST, free of Government tax

BROADWAY SAVINGS INSTITUTION
Chartered 1851.
No. 237 Broadway, entrance on Park-place.
Open daily, from 10 to 3 o'clock.
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WELLAND HOUSE HOTEL,
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For sale, on favorable terms, one-third interest in the above-mentioned first-class hotel, and its furniture.
This house, which was designed expressly for the business, is substantially built and in good repair, and enjoys a fair share of the travel. Its original cost was upward of $60,000, and it has lately been improved at considerable outlay, by the erection of baths connected with it, into which the mineral waters of the place have been introduced.
To any person who understands and wishes to engage in the hotel business, and who would take the active superintendence of the house, this offers an excellent opportunity of embarking in a profitable business, as year by year the curative nature of the waters are becoming more widely known, and the business will naturally increase and extend itself.
For particulars apply to
Messrs. BELL & GUNDRY,
Agents Bank of Montreal,
No. 32 Pine-st., New-York,
R. REID, Esq., Agent Bank of Montreal,
No. 44 La Salle-st., Chicago,
Or the Managers of the Bank of Montreal, at Hamilton or St. Catharines, Canada West.

TO PARTIES WISHING TO INVEST IN A GOOD MANUFACTURING BUSINESS.—WE now offer for sale a complete set of wheel-machinery and fixtures, consisting of five spoke-lathes, Blanchard's patent; two polishing-machines, one for coarse and one for fine polishing; throating, facing and sizing machines; one Dennistown rim-rounder; one hub-mortiser, Fay's patent, manufactured by C. B. Rogers & Co., of Norwich, Conn.; one turning-lathe, ten feet long; a set of Jacobs' patent wheel-machinery, complete; also, circular saws and tables, one belt scroll-saws, one scroll-saw and one spoke tenoning-machine, both manufactured by J. A. Fay & Co., of Cincinnati; shafting, pulleys, belting, hangers, &c., and all the machinery and fixtures requisite for a wheel manufactory. The above machines have been in use about one year, and can be seen, in perfect running order, at our factory. Any parties wishing to continue the business, can make arrangements to do so without being at the additional expense of fitting up a factory elsewhere, as the rooms now occupied by us are to rent from May 1, with power. This is a good investment for a party acquainted with the business. For further particulars call at our office and manufactory.
JACOBS WHEEL COMPANY,
Nos. 155 and 157 Bank-st., New-York.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, FLA.
The undersigned, having purchased these Springs, with 96 acres of land, desires to effect a copartnership with moneyed parties, in order to more fully improve the property. The medicinal properties of these Springs are highly superior. I have with me testimonials of the highest character to fully satisfy any party who may desire to own an interest in this property. I have clear titles, and will give safe guarantees to partners.
The hotel will be open on the 1st of May. The proprietor's long experience guarantees good accommodation to his guests. For further particulars, I can be seen at the Stevens House, No. 25 Broadway, New-York, for a few days only. N. CONNER.

TO CAPITALISTS.
No field for intelligent capital and enterprise in the country offers such prospects of splendid results as the Southern States. A select partner, with about $20,000, wanted to contribute to establishing a paper manufactory there. The locality is excellent; water-power ample; stock and labor cheap; demand great, and sales cash. Address, with real name, D. T., Box No. 176 Times Office.

$5,000.—AN ACTIVE MAN, OF STRICT SObriety and integrity—in fact, in every way most reliable, and who has from $3,000 to $5,000 to invest, would like an interest in an established retail book, stationery or drug business; principals only need answer. Address PHILIP EDWARDS, Jr., Box No. 107 Times Office.

FOR SALE—THE CARTAGE WORK OF A first-class jobbing-house; sold on account of the ill health of the owner. None but a man of experience, who is well acquainted with the shipping of goods, need apply to S. H. STUART, Jr., No. 12 Chambers-st.

BREWERY AND DISTILLERY.—PARTner wanted to take an interest in the same, in a pleasant town of 12,000 inhabitants. Apply for two days to S. CLARKSON, National Hotel, Cortlandt-st.

WANTED—A PARTNER, WITH $2,000, IN A Summer boarding-house. Address L., Box No. 115 Times Office, stating where an interview can be had.

SOUTHERN PLANTATION AT A SACRIFICE—A fortune for a small investment. Special case. Inquire of the Southern Land Agency, No. 62 Broadway.

STEAM PACKING BOX FACTORY FOR sale, and rooms, with steam power, to let. For particulars, inquire at No. 91 Mercer-st.

AUCTION SALES.

J. H. DRAPER, Auctioneer.
UNITED STATES COTTON SALE.
JOHN H. DRAPER & CO.
will sell on THURSDAY, March 15, 1866, at 1 o'clock P. M., at Exchange Salesroom, No. 112 Broadway, New-York, by order of Simeon Draper, United States Cotton Agent:
3,000 BALES MOBILE AND UPLAND COTTON.
200 BALES SEA ISLAND COTTON.
The above cotton has been classed and sampled by G. W. Amory, and may be seen in the bale at Barber's Stores, Nos. 290 to 296 Columbia-st., and at Union Stores, Brooklyn.
Samples can be seen at the office of the auctioneers, No. 36 Pine-st., New-York, two days before the sale.

LARGE SALE OF QUARTERMASTER'S STORES.
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2, 1866.
Will be sold at Public Auction, under the direction of Brevet Lieut.-Col. James M. Moore, A. Q. M., at Warehouse, No. 5, on New-York-av., between 18th and 19th sts., Washington, D. C., on TUESDAY, March 20, 1866, at 10 o'clock, A. M., a large lot of Quartermaster's stores, consisting of
15 lbs. Muriatic Acid,
10 Adzes, assorted,
102 galls. Alcohol,
4 Anvils,
833 Augers, assorted,
392 Axes, assorted,
30 Broad Axes,
191 Hand Axes,
85 Balls and Chains,
14 Pork Barrels,
22 Carpenters' Benches,
100 Wood Benches,
3 Wash Boards,
19 Copper Boilers,
99 Door Bolts, assorted,
800 Spring Window Bolts,
82 lbs. Borax,
3,000 Copper Bottoms,
4 Plumb Bobs,
6 Circulating Boilers,
4 Steam Boilers,
2 Marking Brushes,
859 Paint Brushes, assorted.
391 Varnish Brushes.
203 Dust Brushes.
19 Clothes Brushes.
2,081 Chisels, assorted.
25 lbs. French Chalk.
1,620 Pick-handles.
25,000 pairs Hinges, assorted.
53 Cast-iron Hoppers.
25,000 lbs. Iron, assorted.
1,500 Knobs, assorted.
2,000 lbs. Lead.
2,926 Chest Locks.
3,506 Cupboard Locks.
400 Mallets.
112,000 lbs. Cut Nails.
16,000 lbs. Wrought Nails.
1,000 Frying Pans.
8,000 lbs. Wrought Pipe.
421 Planes, assorted.
250 Tin Pumps, assorted.
500 lbs. Iron Rivets.
300 lbs. Rods, wire.
538 Whitewash Brushes,
4 Bellows,
32 Bevels,
132 feet Leather Belting,
37 feet Rubber Belting,
1,271 Bits, assorted,
13 Blocks, assorted,
20 Coffin Boxes,
3 Wood Boxes,
12 Dredging Boxes,
1 Draughting Board,
225 Chair Bottoms,
125 Chair Backs and Arms,
100 Chair Backs,
108 Chair Legs,
3,050 Chair Stretchers,
600 Lamp Chimneys,
1,000 lbs. Fire Clay,
1,000 lbs. Copper,
500 Stove Doors,
400 Chairs, assorted.
400 Field Desks.
100 Office-desks.
300 Bucket-ears.
2,236 Files, assorted.
1,946 Bastard Files.
10,000 Lights Glass.
2,000 Saucepan Handles.
1,294 Chisel Handles.
1,541 Ax Handles.
2,000 Window Sash.
3,000 gross Screws, assorted.
1,100 Shovels, assorted.
20,000 lbs. Spikes.
1,000 Stove Feet.
2,000 lbs. Cast Steel.
700 boxes Tin.
1,000 Lamp Tubes.
105 Cast Iron Traps.
400 yards Silver Tinsel.
6,835 papers Tacks, assorted.
100 Wheelbarrows.
4,000 lbs. Wire.
30,000 lbs. Zinc.
6,000 Escutcheons.
300 Tables, assorted.
The sale will be continued from day to day until all of the property is sold.
The stores must be removed within five days from date of sale.
Terms cash, in Government funds.
By order of Brevet Major-Gen. D. H. RUCKER,
Chief Quartermaster, Depot of Washington.
CHARLES H. TOMPKINS, Brevet Colonel and Quartermaster.

GOVERNMENT SALE OF SURPLUS HARD BREAD.
SUBSISTENCE OFFICE, U. S. A., No. 8 SOUTH GAY-ST.,
BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 27, 1866.
Sealed proposals (in duplicate) will be received at this office until SATURDAY, March 17, 1866, for the purchase of surplus HARD BREAD on hand at this depot.
Proposals must state that the offer is made under advertisement of this date.
The Bread is in boxes of fifty (50) pounds each. No proposals received for less than twenty (20) boxes. Purchases will be delivered on board of transports without expense to the purchaser.
Payment required in Government funds on notification of acceptance of bid. Twenty days allowed purchasers to remove stores. Proposals to be indorsed on envelope, "Proposals for Hard Bread," and addressed to
THOMAS WILSON,
Brevet Lieut.-Col. and C. S. U. S. A.,
Brevet Brig.-Gen. Vols.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.
H. H. LEEDS & MINER WILL SELL by auction, on the evenings of THURSDAY and FRIDAY, March 15 and 16, at 7½ o'clock each evening, at the Studio Buildings, No. 15 10th-st., near 6th-av., (which have been made a bonded warehouse for the present exhibition:)
THE GAMBART COLLECTION OF THE HIGHEST ORDER OF ORIGINAL MODERN EUROPEAN PAINTINGS, all of which have been received direct from the well-known firm of Messrs. E. Gambart & Co., proprietors of the French Gallery, No. 120 Pall Mall, London, and warranted original. These fine pictures represent almost all of the greatest and most favorite modern European artists, having been selected by the above well-known firm with great taste and judgment, and have been on exhibition for some time past as above. At the request of many connoisseurs, Messrs. Gambart & Co. have consented to dispose of the entire collection at public auction on the evenings before designated.
Comprising in all a combination of the finest works of the most celebrated artists, the equal of which has never before been exhibited or offered for sale in this country.
Among those represented will be found the works of

Meissonier,	Voltz,	Von Schendel,	De Braeckeleer,
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Fichel,	Willems,	Bauguiet,	Coomans,
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Ed. Frere,	Lies,	Ruiperez,	Heilbuth,
A Achenbach	Schlesinger,	AlmaTadema,	Le Poitevin,
Ary Scheffer,	Lambinet,	Dyckmans,	Lassalle,
Plassan,	Trayer,	Hebert,	Madou,
Noel,	Thom,	Delamarre,	Tenkatt,
Stanfield,	Girscher,	Labouchere,	Patrois,
Dubasty,	Hoguet,	Bourges,	Moreau,
Guiaud,	Rusier,	Israels,	Pecrus,
Hughes,	Soyer,	Beranger,	De Jonghe,
Veurassat,	Castan,	Fromentin,	Hodgson,
Verbroeckhoven,	Heilbuth,	Tidemand,	Baugret,
	Seignac,		

And over 150 others of the most celebrated artists.
NOW ON EXHIBITION, FREE, and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday previous to the sale, from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Catalogues to be had from Mr. Knoedler, No. 772 Broadway, at the Studio Building, and of the auctioneers, No. 93 Liberty-st.

NEW-ORLEANS OPERA HOUSE FOR SALE—A RARE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT.—Sale at auction of the New-Orleans Opera House, situated at the corner of Bourbon and Toulouse sts., with its dependencies, and all and singular the furniture, decorations, scenery, wardrobe and library and other accessories of said Opera House.—By GABRIEL LEAUMONT, Auctioneer, salesroom No. 69 Chartres-st., on THURSDAY, March 29, 1866, at noon, will be sold at the Merchants' and Auctioneers' Exchange, Royal-st., between Custom and Canal sts., New-Orleans, the splendid building known as the OPERA HOUSE. The portion of ground on which said opera house is built, forms the west corner of Bourbon and Toulouse sts., and measures 191 feet 9 inches and 6 lines front on said Bourbon-st., by 190 feet 8 inches and 7 lines front on Toulouse st., all more or less. Said building was erected in 1859, and the cost of the same, with the furniture, decorations, scenery, wardrobe, library, and other accessories, exceeded the sum of $240,000. A complete and exact inventory of the contents of said opera house is deposited for reference in the office of S. MAGNER, Notary Public in New-Orleans
TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—The purchaser to assume the paymen tot two bonds of $1,000 each, subscribed by the New-Orleans Opera House Company, under date of the 1st of June, 1869, and payable on the 1st of July, 1869, the said two bonds bearing 8 per cent. interest, payable semi-annually by coupons of $40 each on the 1st of July and 1st of January of each year, the first coupon to be due on the 1st of July next, 1866. The balance of the price of adjudication to be one-third cash in United States Treasury notes, and the balance at a credit of one, two, three, four and five years, by equal installments, in notes divided by coupons to suit the vendors; said notes bearing 8 per cent. interest from date until paid, and the whole to be secured by mortgage on the property sold. The building to be kept insured against fire to the amount of the unpaid notes, and the policy transferred to the vendors until the full payment of said notes, the vendors reserving the privilege to renew yearly said insurance in case of negligence on the part of the purchaser so to do, and to claim immediately from the owner the reimbursement of said premium of insurance, which will be also secured by mortgage on said property; the purchaser also taking the obligation to pay the attorneys' fees in case of suit on any of the notes subscribed by him for the balance purchase of said property, said attorneys' fees not to exceed 5 per cent.
The opera house being rented up to the 1st of June next, possession of the same will not be given before that time; but the leases of the stores on the ground floor, amounting to $200 per month, will be transferred to the purchaser from the 1st of April next.
Acts of sale before GOTTSCHALK & WAGNER, Notaries Public in New-Orleans, at the expense of the purchaser, who shall have to pay the United States revenue stamp for said sale.

AUCTION.—WILL BE SOLD AT THE NAVY-yard on THURSDAY, the 15th inst, at 12 M., the following condemned articles of Provisions, Clothing, &c., by order of the Chief of Bureau of Provisions and Clothing:—
PROVISIONS—75,221 lbs. bread, 12,387 lbs. beef (61 187-200 bbls.), 8,490 lbs. Pork (42 96-200 bbls.), 39,015 lbs. flour (199 11-196 bbls.), 46,335 lbs. rice, 11,053 lbs. dried apples, 51,917 lbs. pickles, 283 lbs. sugar, 20 lbs. tea, 12,926½ lbs. coffee, 3,071 lbs. butter, 715 lbs. desd. potatoes, 43 gallons molasses, 915 lbs. desd. vegetables, 19,264 gallons beans.
CLOTHING.—294 pea jackets, 601 round jackets, 19 flannel jumpers, 474 pairs B. cloth trowsers, 254 pairs satinet trowsers, 81 pairs canvas-duck trowsers, 120 sheeting frocks, 612 flannel overshirts, 427 flannel undershirts, 631 pairs flannel drawers, 1,652½ yards blue satinet, 1,300½ yards blue flannel, 255¼ yards sheeting, 235½ yards canvas duck, 86 yards blue nankin, 664 pairs calfskin shoes, 65 pairs kipskin shoes, 171 pairs woolen socks, 201 hair mattrasses, 553 blankets (woolen), 459 caps, 1 silk handkerchief, 92¼ yards blue cloth, 2 pairs mittens, 89 pairs boots, 76 pairs pilot cloth trowsers, 55 pairs brogans; also, 4,612 new straw hats, in good order.
SMALL STORES.—8,858 lbs. tobacco, 5,040 lbs. salt water soap, 23,774 lbs. fresh water soap, 8 lbs. beeswax, 223 pieces ribbon, 2,038 pieces white tape, 609 pieces black tape, 18 pocket handkerchiefs (cotton), 346 thimbles, 8 pairs scissors, 2 razors, 1 razor-strop, 738 shaving-boxes, 484 shaving-brushes, 1 scrubbing-brush, 5,425 cakes shaving-soap, 11 blacking-brushes, 46 clothes-brushes, 39 dozen coat buttons, 68 dozen medium buttons, 44 dozen vest buttons, 61 fine combs, 6 coarse combs, 252 mess kettles, 23 mess pans, 5,300 tin pots, 55 tin pans, 48 spoons, 54 forks, 6,077 bottles mustard, — bottles pepper, 2,612 boxes blacking, 1 can opener, 1 covered wagon.
JNO. D. GIBSON, Paymaster, U. S. N.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
SUPREME COURT SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY, SITUATED ON WATER, FLETCHER, DUANE, CANAL AND ELIZABETH STS.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, 1866, at 12 M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York, by order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of John E. Burrill, Esq., Referee:
WATER-ST.—The lot of land, with the four-story brick store thereon, situate on the northeast corner of Water and Fletcher sts., known as No. 160. Lot 17.9x80.
FLETCHER-ST.—The three-story brick building and lot on the westerly side of Fletcher-st., known as No. 9. Lot 19.6x27.6.
CANAL-ST.—The 4 two-story brick buildings and lots situate on the southeast corner of Canal and Elizabeth sts., and known as Nos. 156, 158, 160 and 162 Canal-st. The lots together are 75x50 feet.
DUANE-ST.—The lot of land on the northerly side of Duane-st., between Church-st. and West Broadway, known as No. 137. Lot 25x65.
The title to all of the above property is indisputable, having been in the present family for over fifty years.
Maps at the office of the auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine-st., New-York.

AUCTION SALES OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—The undersigned is prepared, as heretofore, to give special attention to
SALES OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
at the residences of families, on favorable terms.
A. JOURNEAY, Auctioneer,
No. 6 Pine-st.

AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY,
AT
MACON, GA.
By direction of the Secretary of War, all the
BUILDING MATERIALS
STEAM ENGINES,
MACHINERY, TOOLS,
IRON, COPPER, LUMBER,
AND STORES OF VARIOUS KINDS,
Which were collected at Macon, Ga., by the Confederate Government, for the erection and permanent operation of a large armory, laboratory and arsenal; and also
TOOLS, MACHINERY AND MATERIALS
collected from iron works and armories in the States of Alabama and Georgia, will be sold at
PUBLIC AUCTION.
Among the articles to be sold are:
8,000 lbs. COPPER—pigs.
42,000 lbs. COPPER—round rod.
38,000 lbs. COPPER—bar.
20,000 lbs. COPPER—sheet.
200,000 lbs. WROUGHT IRON—bar and rod.
800 tons PIG IRON.
750 tons CAST IRON—unserviceable shells.
54,000 lbs. LEAD—pigs.
45,000 lbs. TIN—block and sheet.
4,000 lbs. CHAIN—crane and cable.
15,000 yards CLOTH—Cotton, English Serge, oiled and enameled.
32,000 lbs. POWDER.
8,000 feet BELTING—gum and leather, assorted sizes.
200 MACHINES—drills, planers, milling, screw-cutting, steam and trip hammers.
Besides—
Harness, Saddles, Horse Equipments, Infantry and Cavalry Accoutrements, Blankets, Wagon and Gun Carriage Irons, 35 unserviceable Canon, iron and bronze, 80 broken Gun Carriages, Laboratory Stores and Materials, Spare parts (new) for Springfield Muskets and Colt's Revolvers, and an assortment of
PAINTS AND OILS.
The attention of Northern buyers is called to this sale, which is a large one and of valuable property.
Full printed catalogues of the property to be sold can be obtained from the Chief of Ordnance at Washington, D. C., and from the Commanding Officer of the Augusta Arsenal, Georgia.
The sale will commence on
WEDNESDAY, April 4, 1866,
and continue every day until all the property is sold.
Terms cash, in United States currency.
D. W. FLAGLER,
Capt. Ord. Brev. Lt.-Col., Com. Augusta Arsenal.

BENJ. F. THEALL, Auctioneer—Late salesman with E. H. LUDLOW & CO.
EXECUTORS' SALE
OF SUPERB HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, REAL BRONZES, CARRARA MARBLE STATUARY, ANTIQUES, ELEGANT MIRRORS, FRENCH CHINA AND GLASS; AUBUISSON, WILTON AND VELVET CARPETS, &c.; ROSEWOOD PIANO-FORTE, BILLIARD TABLE, &c.
THEALL & CURTIS will sell by auction, on THURSDAY, March 15, 1866, at 10½ o'clock, at the mansion No. 12 Washington-place, between Mercer and Greene sts., by order of the executors of the estate of the late Matthew Morgan, deceased, all the elegant furniture, &c., of said house, viz.:
DRAWING-ROOMS.
Elegantly carved gilt drawing-room suite in crimson silk-velvet and white satin; carved rosewood do. in crimson silk-reps; elegant buhl cabinets and tables; richly carved rosewood seven-octave piano-forte, "Nunns & Clark," makers; fine French-plate pier and mantle mirrors; rosewood card and fancy tables; elegant crimson silk-velvet and white silk, figured reps and rich lace curtains; superb ormolu mantel sets of clocks and candelabras; elegant Sevres china and ormolu vase candelabras; flower vases, real "Mene" bronzes, Aubuisson carpets.
LIBRARY.
Elegant ebony library bookcases, library table, voltaire and easy chairs, superb real "Mene" bronzes, Carrarra marble statuary, Sevres china; marble, bronze and ormolu mantel set; fine crimson silk-plush and lace curtains; Wilton carpet.
DINING-ROOM.
Richly carved solid oak buffets, side tables; dining chairs in moquet; elegant flowered moquet and lace curtains; splendid assortment of Sevres and French china; crystal, cut and engraved glassware; velvet carpets, &c.
BED CHAMBERS.
Carved rosewood, walnut and mahogany French bedsteads, bureaus, armoires-a-glace, bookcases, dressing and fancy tables, lounges, chairs and easy chairs, paillasses, wool and hair mattresses, feather beds, bolsters and pillows; silk, damask and lace curtains; velvet and Brussels carpets, &c., &c.
HALLS AND STAIRWAYS.
Oak hall-stand and chairs; superb Carrarra marble statuary, viz., "Venus from the Bath," by Wyatt, of Rome, "Charity," &c.; velvet and Brussels carpets, &c.
ALSO,
Fine rosewood billiard table, complete—Phelan's patent.
All the elegant ormolu and bronze chandeliers and fixtures; superb ormolu sixteen-light torches, by Ringuet, of Paris.
The sale will commence with the kitchen and laundry furniture.
The house will be open for inspection on WEDNESDAY, 14th inst., by permit, which, with catalogue, may be had at the office of the auctioneers, No. 28 Liberty-st., or at the office of E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

LARGE SALE OF ARMY TENTS AND TENT FLIES.
DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
BALTIMORE, Md., March 5, 1866.
Will be sold at public auction, on THURSDAY, March 22, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Government Storehouse, No. 66 Conway-st., Baltimore, Md.:
6,200 (more or less) unserviceable, worn and condemned Tents and Tent Flies, consisting in part as follows:
713 HOSPITAL TENTS.
612 WALL TENTS.
2,757 COMMON TENTS.
55 SIBLEY TENTS.
2,051½ SHELTER TENTS.
682 Hospital Tent Flies.
497 Wall Tent Flies.
Five (5) days allowed for removal of property.
Terms cash in Government funds.
G. W. BRADLEY,
Colonel, Chief Quartermaster,
Middle Military Department.

D. M. SEAMAN, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE FARM IN DUTCHESS COUNTY.
D. M. SEAMAN will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, a valuable farm in Dutchess County, N. Y., known as the Thomas Dearin Farm, 105 acres; 5 acres woodland, apple orchards and all kinds of fruit; 2½ miles from New Hamburgh depot, Hudson River Railroad; 6 miles from Poughkeepsie, ¾ mile from Hudson River, with splendid view; a large frame house, barns and outbuildings. The above is one of the best farms in the county, and near the places of Messrs. Howland, Frost, Van Rensselaer and others. For particulars, apply to the Auctioneer, No. 14 Pine-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
SALE OF 84 VALUABLE LOTS ON PROSPECT HILL, IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY OF PROSPECT PARK, BROOKLYN, AT AUCTION.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 15, at 12 M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York:
7TH-AV.—8 lots on west side, comprising the entire front between 9th and 10th sts.; 8 lots on east side, comprising the entire front between 9th and 10th sts.; 4 lots on southwest corner of 7th-av. and 10th-st.; 4 lots on southeast corner of 7th-av. and 10th-st.
10TH-ST.—10 lots, south side, 95 feet 9 inches west of 7th-av.; 10 lots, north side, 95 feet 9 inches west of 7th-av.; 10 lots, south side, 100 feet east of 7th-av.; 10 lots, north side, 100 feet east of 7th-av.
9TH-ST.—10 lots, south side, 95 feet 9 inches west of 7th-av.; 10 lots, south side, 100 feet east of 7th-av. These lots are situated in one of the most improving parts of Brooklyn; the ground is high and commands a fine view of the river and bay, and being in the immediate vicinity of Prospect Park, are of very great prospective value.
PRESIDENT-ST.—The first-class four-story brown-stone English basement house and lot situate on the south side of President-st., fourth house west of Clinton-st., and known as No. 142. The house is 17.6x62 feet on first floor; has all modern improvements, is in good order, and is well and substantially built. Lot 17.6x100 feet.

JOHN H. DRAPER & CO., Auctioneers.
WILL SELL WITHOUT RESERVE TO the highest bidder, at the Erie Basin, Brooklyn, on THURSDAY, March 22, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following named Government steamers, to wit:
ILLINOIS, side-wheel, 2,123 tons.
EMPIRE CITY, side-wheel, 1,751 tons.
McCLELLAN, side-wheel, 1,003 tons.
THOMAS COLLYER, side-wheel, 446 tons.
JOHN RICE, propeller, 782 tons.
All these vessels, with the exception of the first, are fully equipped and ready for immediate service. The *Thomas Collyer* is admirably adapted for service on the Sound and rivers.
Ten per cent. to be paid down, and the balance on delivery in Government funds.
Also will be sold at the same time, the BOILER of the steamer *Harriet A. Weed*, and SHAFTING, &c., of the steamer *Delaware*.
STEWART VAN VLIET,
Brev. Major-Gen. and Chief Q. M.
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, March 8, 1866.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
DESIRABLE VACANT LOTS ON 3D AND 8th avs., and on 87th-st., with water front.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 15, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York:
3D. AV.—3 lots, west side 3d-av., 50 feet 5 4-10 inches south from 113th-st.; each 25.2 2-3 by 100 feet.
8TH-AV.—3 lots, east side of 8th-av., 49 feet 11 inches south from 127th-st.; each 25 by 100 feet.
87TH-ST.—8 lots and 1 gore, north side of 87th-st., commencing 100 feet east of Avenue B; each lot 25 feet by 100 feet 8 inches. Gore lot 15 feet front, 20 feet rear, 100 feet 8 inches in depth; together with the valuable water front on the East River.
Maps, &c., may be had at the Auctioneers' office, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
50 LOTS ON AVENUES A AND B, 1ST AND 2D AVS. AND 82D-ST. AT AUCTION.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on MONDAY, March 19, at 12 M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York:
2D-AV.—2 lots on southeast corner of 82d-st.; 1 lot northeast corner of 82d-st.
1ST-AV.—2 lots southeast corner of 82d-st.; 1 lot northeast corner of 82d-st.
AVENUE A—2 lots northeast corner of 82d-st.; 1 lot southeast corner of 82d-st.
AVENUE B—4 lots west side, between 81st and 82d sts.; 4 lots, with water front, on southeast corner of Avenue B and 82d-st.
82D-ST.—14 lots between 1st and 2d avs.; 9 lots between 1st av. and Avenue A; 7 lots between Avenues A and B.
Maps at the office of the Auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine-st., New-York.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
HOUSE AND LOT ON 22D-ST., AND LOTS ON 55TH-ST. AT AUCTION.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 15, at 12 o'clock M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:
22D-ST.—The three-story brick house and lot on north side of 22d-st., 60 feet west of 6th-av., known as No. 103. The house is 20 by about 55 feet, extension on first floor; modern improvements; lot half the block; possession 1st May next.
55TH-ST.—Two lots north side 55th-st., 150 feet west of 8th-av.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
THIRTY-TWO LOTS, COMPRISING THE ENTIRE BLOCK BOUNDED BY MADISON AND 4TH AVS. AND 57TH AND 58TH STS., AT AUCTION.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on MONDAY, March 19, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the block of ground bounded by 4th and Madison avs., 57th and 58th sts., viz.:
MADISON-AV.—8 lots, comprising the entire front between 57th and 58th sts.
57TH-ST.—12 lots, north side, comprising the entire front between Madison and 4th avs.
58TH-ST.—12 lots, south side, comprising the entire front between Madison and 4th avs.

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL SELL AT public auction on TUESDAY, March 27, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, (if not disposed of before at private sale,) his farm of eighty-four acres delightfully situated on the banks of the South Shrewsbury River and Rumson Road; fine oyster grounds, bathing and fishing, abundance of marl; two houses, two barns, and other outbuildings; an apple orchard, and other fruits. For particulars, apply to the owner, WILLIAM HADDON, Red Bank, New-Jersey, or to JAMES SOMERVILLE, Nos. 43 and 45 Centre-st., New-York.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
PEREMPTORY SALE OF THREE LOTS on 117th-st., near 8th-av.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO., will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, March 15, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity building,) New-York.
WEST 117TH-ST.—Three lots and three gores, on north side of 117th-st., 125 feet east of 9th-av. Each lot 25x100.10, with three gores in the rear. Title perfect. Sale peremptory. Maps, &c., at the office of the Auctioneers, E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st., near Broadway.

AUCTION SALES.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Office No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.
IMPORTANT SALE OF A CHOICE COLLECTION of modern OIL PAINTINGS and DRAWINGS, by leading artists, American and foreign, most of which were painted to order for the present owner, who is about traveling abroad.
MINER & SOMERVILLE will sell at auction, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS, March 22 and 23, at 7½ o'clock, at the Somerville Art Gallery, No. 815 Broadway, near 14th-st., a very fine and carefully selected collection of Oil Paintings and Drawings, comprising the entire gallery of a well-known connoisseur, and forming probably the finest assemblage of works of art offered at auction this season, among which will be represented the following eminent artists, viz.:

F. E. Church, N. A.,	Rosa Bonheur,	Achenbach,
A. Bierstadt, N. A.,	Gerome,	Verboeckhoven,
Thos Cole, N. A.,	Ed. Frere,	Adolf Dillens,
Jas. M. Hart, N. A.,	Troyon,	Robie,
V. Nehlig, N. A.,	F. Willems,	Louis Robbe,
D. Huntington, P. N. A.	Chavet,	Roffiaen,
S. J. Guy, N. A.,	Fichel,	Sonderland,
E. Johnson, N. A.,	Merle,	Denoter,
J. F. Kensett, N. A.,	Duverger,	Brillouin,
A. B. Durand, N. A.,	Patrois,	De Henvel,
S. R. Gifford, N. A.,	Lanfant de Metz,	F. Musin,
S. Colman, N. A.,	Lemmens,	Verschnur,
J. Suydam, N. A.,	Veyvassel,	Carl Becker,
Ed. White, N. A.,	Accard,	H. Burgers,
A. F. Tait, N. A.,	De Vos,	VanWyngaerdt,
M. F. H. De Haas,	Seignac,	Koek Koek,
H. P. Gray, N. A.,	D. Roberts, R. A.,	Rosierse,
A. D. Shattuck, N. A.,	H. LeJenne, R. A.,	L. de Beul,
J. G. Brown, N. A.,	H. B. Willis,	H. de Beul,
W. Whitteredge, N. A.,	H. L. Rolfe,	Serrure,
Wm. Hart, N. A.,	H. Passmore,	Boulanger,
J. R. Brevoort, N. A.,	E. C. Barnes,	Kersch,
A. Chappel,	G. Pope,	Winterberger,
George Owens,	Anderson,	De Bylandt,
Julia Beers,	Weir,	Philippeau,
W. T. Richards,	Watelet,	Arts,
W. J. Hennessy,	Scheeres,	Reyntiens,
G. H. Boughton,	Noterman,	Couturier,
W. Homer,	Jassens,	Escosura,
C. Ogilvie,	C. Verlat,	Herzog.

Including also a grand work by LOUIS ROBBE, entitled the "Sheepfold," being the largest and most important work by this celebrated artist in America. The above will be on exhibition, free, DAY and EVENING, on and after WEDNESDAY, 14th inst., until evening of sale, and we most cordially invite the attention of all art-lovers to an examination.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.
EXECUTORS' AND TRUSTEES' SALE
OF
350 LOTS
IN THE
FIFTH WARD OF JERSEY CITY.
A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, March 21, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York, the following valuable property, viz: Three hundred and fifty lots, situated in and around and in the vicinity of Hamilton-square and the streets adjacent thereto, a few minutes' walk from the Pavonia Ferry, running to Chambers-st. in New-York. These lots constitute a part of the estate of the late J. B. Coles, and are located in the most central and choice parts of Jersey City. Horse cars pass every few minutes near the premises to the Hoboken and Jersey City ferries. The Erie Railroad Tunnel, through which most of the traffic of the South and West passes to the Pavonia Ferry, adjoins this ward. Jersey City has all the commercial advantages of the City of New-York—by the laws of New-Jersey aliens hold and transmit real estate the same as citizens—and since the Pavonia Ferry was established the increase of its population and business has been unprecedented, and its taxes are very light. The most extensive railroad in the United States has its termini in this ward. Terms easy. Maps, &c., at the office of the auctioneer, No. 77 Cedar-st., New-York.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE PROPERTY IN THE CITIES OF NEW-YORK AND BROOKLYN AT AUCTION, BY ORDER OF HEIRS AND EXECUTORS, TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the heirs and executors of Joseph Noble, deceased, viz:
NEW-YORK.
4TH-AV.—4 lots, east side, commencing on the northeast corner 95th-st.
95TH-ST.—6 lots, north side, 90 feet east of 4th-av.
5TH-AV.—1 lot on east side, 75 feet 6 inches north of 93d-st.
93D-ST.—6 lots, north side, 178 feet 8 inches east of 5th-av.
94TH-ST.—5 lots, south side, 469 feet 2 inches east of 5th-av.
46TH-ST.—2 lots, north side, 100 feet east of 11th-av.
BROOKLYN.
CHEEVER-PLACE.—Three-story brick house and lot on west side of Cheever-place, between Harrison and Degraw sts., No. 45.
WILLOUGHBY AND LEWIS AVS. AND HART-ST.—14 lots and gores, situate on Willoughby and Lewis avs. and Hart-st.
DE KALB-AV.—2 lots, south side, 25 feet east of Stuyvesant-av.
MADISON AND MONROE STS.—2 lots north side of Madison-st., 260 feet east of Ralph-av., extending through to and fronting on Monroe-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
PROPERTY ON 31ST-ST., NEW BOWERY EXTENSION AND CHERRY-ST.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom:
31ST-ST.—The two four-story, English-basement brick house and lots situate on the north side of 31st-st., between 8th and 9th avs., and known as Nos. 243 and 245. The houses are about 19 by 50 feet. Lots 98 feet 9 inches.
PEARL-ST.—The lot of land on the north side of Pearl-st. (New Bowery extension) and between Hague and Vandewater sts., known as No. 373. Lot 21 by 96 feet.
CHERRY-ST.—The brick house and lot on north side of Cherry-st., between Catharine and Market-sts., No. 150. House 20 by 50 feet. Lot 20 by 75 feet.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
ELEGANT CABINET FURNITURE.
BY ORDER OF THE ASSIGNEE.
By EDWARD SCHENCK, on FRIDAY, 16th inst., at 10½ o'clock, at his salesroom, No. 60 Liberty-st., a large and elegant assortment of first-class furniture, made for best City trade, removed for convenience of sale, comprising elegant rosewood parlor suites in brocatel; black walnut do., in plush and reps; black walnut library and dining-room suites; extension tables and buffets, in walnut and oak; elegant rosewood and walnut centre tables; walnut and enameled chamber furniture; wardrobes, secretaries, Turkish lounges and chairs, hall stands, and other elegant furniture, the whole comprising an elegant variety of first-class goods, and to be peremptorily sold without reserve.
H. HOFFMAN, Assignee.
N. B.—The furniture can be kept free of storage until May 1.

SALE OF CONDEMNED MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL PROPERTY.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10, 1866.
Will be sold at public auction on THURSDAY, the 22d day of March next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Purveying Depot, 18th and F sts., in this city, a large quantity of condemned medical and hospital property, consisting of: Splints, air rubber cushions, slates, clocks, inkstands, water-coolers, spoons, knives and forks, spatulas, funnels, lamps and lanterns, tin cups and plates, gutta percha bed-covers, water-beds, sheepskins dressed, tourniquets, trusses, mortars, medicine pannier chests, knapsacks and field companions, leather buckets, cots, basins, iron washstands, bed-side tables, mess chests, cooking utensils, bedding, &c.
Forty-eight hours allowed to purchasers to remove property.
Terms, cash, in Government funds.
CHAS. SUTHERLAND,
Surg. U. S. A., Medical Purveyor.
C. W. BOTELER, Auctioneer.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
LOTS ON 59TH AND 60TH STS. AT AUCTION.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:
59TH-ST.—Two lots, north side 59th-st., 261 feet west of 1st-av., each 26 feet 3 inches by 100 feet 5 inches.
60TH-ST.—Two lots on south side of 60th-st., immediately in the rear of the 59th-st. lots.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
LOT ON 32D-ST. AT AUCTION.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:
32D-ST.—1 lot on the north side of 32d-st., 200 feet east of 11th-av., being 25 feet in width by 98 feet 9 inches, or half the block in depth.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
PEREMPTORY SALE OF FORTY VALUABLE LOTS SITUATE ON ELEVENTH-AV., SEVENTY-EIGHTH AND NINETY-SECOND STS., BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, March 21, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the executors of Peter Murray, deceased:
11TH-AV.—4 lots on west side, 25.6 south of 79th-st.
11TH-AV.—4 lots west side, 25.6 north of 75th-st.
11TH-AV.—2 lots east side, 100 feet north of 75th-st.
11TH-AV.—1 lot northwest corner of 78th-st.
11TH-AV.—4 lots commencing on the northwest corner of 97th-st.
78TH-ST.—4 lots south side, 475 feet east of 10th-av.
92D-ST.—14 lots south side, 150 feet west of 9th-av.
11TH-AV.—7 lots west side, commencing on the northwest corner of 147th-st.
Seventy per cent. can remain on bond and mortgage.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Salesroom No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.
MINER & SOMERVILLE WILL SELL at auction, on THURSDAY, March 15, at 10½ o'clock, at their salesroom No. 37 Nassau-st., Household Furniture, comprising parlor suites, in brocatel and reps; black walnut dining suite, lounges, sofas, mahogany wardrobes, centre tables, cottage suites, bar, counter and restaurant fixtures, including marble-top tables, office furniture, cane-seat chairs, carpets, mattresses, &c.
Also, at 12 o'clock,
a choice collection of books, among which are a complete set of American Encyclopedias, elegant edition of Irving's works, 22 volumes of England's Battles, illustrated; Pictorial History of England, Hogarth's works, &c., &c.
Also,
a rosewood billiard table, Phelan make, with balls, cues, racks, &c., &c. Also, an elegant ormolu French carriage clock, with case chimes. Also, an elegant French porcelain dinner set: every piece differently decorated.

T. R. MINTURN, Auctioneer.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 15, at 11 o'clock within the store,
500 packages Malaga Raisins.
50 casks Turkish Prunes.
400 bags African Peanuts.
7 casks Madeira nuts.
60 boxes Sicily Prunes.
124 cases Italian Maccaroni.
10 half-chests Oolong Tea.
(For account of whom it may concern.)
129 boxes Castile Soap, damaged.
At 12 o'clock on Pier No. 9 East River,
1,600 boxes fresh Sicily Oranges.
2,226 boxes fresh Sicily Lemons.
Cargo brig *Sicilia* from Palermo.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE BARCLAY-ST. PROPERTY AT AUCTION.—A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 15, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No 111 Broadway:
ON BARCLAY-ST.—The superior five-story first-class marble store, No. 42, south side, between Church-st. and West Broadway; lot 25 by 100, held under the favorable leases of Grace Church, at only $300 per annum for the residue of the present term, with full covenants for further renewals of 21 years each. The building is of the most costly and substantial kind, and cost $45,000.
Maps, &c., at No. 77 Cedar-st.

By E. B. SHAFER, Auctioneer.
U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, on the 15th day of March, 1866, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the store-house, corner 33d-st. and 10th-av., about 25,000 gallons of distilled spirits in dredged casks and barrels.
R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal,
Southern District of New-York.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer, salesroom No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.
MINER & SOMERVILLE WILL SELL at auction FRIDAY, MARCH 16, at 10½ o'clock, at their salesroom, a large and very fine collection of stuffed animals and birds, comprising black bear, grizzly bear, ourang-outang, kangaroos, buffalo heads, deers' heads, bears' heads, elk horns, &c.

JOSEPH HEGEMAN, Auctioneer.
FRIDAY, MARCH 16, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M., at the Central Salesrooms, Willoughby-st., corner of Pearl-st., Brooklyn—Handsome furniture, pianos, &c., rosewood, mahogany, walnut and painted parlor, chamber and dining-room suites, book cases, mirrors, hair mattresses, feather beds, velvet and other carpets, oil cloths, stoves, &c.

AUCTION SALES.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
CENTRAL PARK LOTS AT AUCTION.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:
60TH-ST.—3 lots on the south side, 300 feet west of 6th-av.
10TH-AV.—6 lots on east side, comprising the entire front, between 97th and 98th sts. This property is located in one of the most rapidly improving sections of the City, and is well worthy the attention of those seeking for profitable investment.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
HOUSE AND LOT NO. 33 SEVENTH-AV. AT AUCTION, BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway.
7TH-AV.—The three-story brick house and lot situate on the southeast corner of 7th-av. and 13th-st., known as No. 33. The house is 24 by about 48 feet; has modern improvements, and is in fair order. Lot 24x100 feet.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
EXECUTORS' SALE OF PROPERTY ON GOERCK AND 41ST STS.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the Executors of the estate of Addington Reed, deceased:
GOERCK-ST.—The three-story house and lot on the easterly side of Goerck-st., between Rivington and Stanton sts., known as No. 110.
41ST-ST.—Three lots on south side 41st-st., 250 feet west of 9th-av.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
LOTS ON 52D AND 53D STS. AT AUCTION
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on FRIDAY, March 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:
52D-ST.—Five lots, north side, 150 feet west of 8th-av. Each 25x100.5.
53D-ST.—Five lots, south side, immediately in rear of the last described. Lots each 25x100.5.

PROPOSALS

PROPOSALS FOR SAFES AND LOCKS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 3, 1866.
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., until 12 M., April 5, 1866, for furnishing the Burglar-Proof and the Burglar and Fire-Proof Safes required by the Treasury Department for one year from the acceptance of the proposal of the successful bidder.
Specifications and drawings for the Burglar-Proof Safes, showing the form of construction at present used, viz.: alternate plates of iron and hardened steel, can be obtained upon application at this Department.
Burglar and Fire-Proof Safes will be constructed in the same manner, and cased with a suitable fire-proof covering, the plans and specifications for which must be submitted by the bidder.
Safes to be shipped in perfect condition within a reasonable time from date of order.
The Locks will be furnished by this Department, but must be put in place by the contractor, and be in perfect working order when the Safe is turned over to the proper officer of the Government.
The bids to be per superficial foot, measured on the outside, and to cover all charges whatever, including painting and door-fixtures, (except cost of locks.)
Proposals will also be received for Burglar and Powder-Proof Locks, to be accompanied with samples.
All bids must be accompanied by the guaranty of two responsible persons in the sum of $5,000, that the bidder will accept and perform the contract if awarded to him, the sufficiency of the security to be certified to by the District-Attorney of the district where the bidder resides.
The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to award the contract for Burglar-Proof Safes to one party, and the Burglar and Fire-Proof Safes to another, if it be deemed for the interest of the Government to do so, and no bid will be considered that does not conform to the requirements of this advertisement.
Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Safes and Locks," and addressed to A. B. MULLETT, Acting Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.
A. B. MULLETT,
Acting Supervising Architect.

TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.
NORTH MISSOURI RAILROAD EXTENSION FROM MACON CITY TO IOWA, AND FROM MOBERLY TO BRUNSWICK.—Sealed Proposals will be received until three o'clock on the 20th day of April, 1866, for the grading and masonry on fifty-three miles of road, beginning about eleven and a half miles north of Macon City—the grading having been completed for eleven miles and a half north of Macon City.
Also, for the grading and masonry of about forty miles of road from Moberly to Brunswick, a portion of which has already been graded.
Bids will be received for one mile and upwards, or for the whole work, and the bids will be opened by the Board of Directors in the presence of the bidders at noon on the 21st of April, 1866.
Proposals will also be received for the superstructure of bridges, iron or wood, of spans to vary from twenty to two hundred feet.
Persons are requested to make their bids for payments in cash or in the first mortgage bonds of the Company, bearing seven per cent. per annum interest.
For all further information desired, address
J. B. MOULTON,
Chief Engineer, St. Louis, Missouri,
Or apply at his office, up stairs, North 4th-st., No. 159.
The Directory reserve the right to reject or accept any bid offered. ISAAC H. STURGEON, President.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 17 STATE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, March 9, 1866.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 12 o'clock M. of THURSDAY, 15th instant, for the carting of all Government Stores within the City of New-York which it may be the duty of this department to move, for the period of one year.
Persons offering to perform this service are requested to state the price per carman's load of 5 (five) barrels of pork, 7 (seven) barrels of flour, or 1,500 (fifteen hundred) pounds' weight of other goods, for any distance not exceeding half a mile, with an increase of one-third for every additional half-mile. The party to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to have in readiness at all times a sufficient number of teams to perform the required service, and to keep them at work when required, nights and Sundays, without extra compensation, and to be present in person, or by a competent agent, at all times, to receive and execute all orders which may be given for work to be done.
No proposal will be considered unless coming from responsible persons, known to the undersigned, and who will be vouched for by responsible parties.
Each proposal must be indorsed by two responsible persons, setting forth their willingness to go security in the sum of $20,000, that said proposal, if accepted, will be faithfully carried out.
Each proposal must be indorsed "Proposals for Carting Government Stores," and addressed
STEWART VAN VLIET,
Brevet Major-General and Quartermaster.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, NEW-YORK, March 9, 1866.
PROPOSALS FOR MILK.—SEALED PROposals will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 1 Bond-st., until 12 o'clock M., of the 20th instant, for supplying Bellevue Hospital, foot of 26th-st., East River, Blackwell's and Randall's Islands, for one year, commencing on the 1st of April next, with pure unskimmed country milk, of the best quality, and to be delivered at such times and places as may be required. Satisfactory evidence will be required of the ability of parties to furnish the quantity as called for without default, and the proposals to be accompanied with the names of two responsible persons, under their proper signature, as security for the faithful performance of the contract.
The Commissioners reserve to themselves the power of receiving or rejecting any or all propositions or portions thereof, as they may deem for the interest of the department. Any information required will be given on application at their office.
ISAAC BELL, President.
JAMES BOWEN, Secretary.
JAMES B. NICHOLSON,
O. W. BRENNAN,
Commissioners.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.
The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of W. J. WILCOX & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
WILLIAM J. WILCOX
SAMUEL HISCOX.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1866.

COPARTNERSHIP.
The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm of W. J. WILCOX & CO., and will continue the business of the late firm.
W. J. WILCOX
W. A. COLE,
S. E. HISCOX.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1866.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.—THIS IS TO certify that the subscribers, FRANK S. STEVENS, SHERMAN PARIS and MARSHALL J. ALLEN, have formed a limited partnership pursuant to the Revised Statute of the State of New-York, title first, chapter 4, part second, entitled "of limited partnerships," and of the several acts of the Legislature of the State of New-York amending the same.
The name or firm under which such partnership is to be conducted is PARIS & ALLEN.
The general nature of the business to be transacted is the importing and jobbing, buying and selling of brandies, wines, liquors, teas, cigars and such other commodities as are usually kept in wholesale liquor stores.
The names of all the general and special partners interested therein, and their respective places of residence are as follows:
FRANK S. STEVENS is the special partner, and resides at Swansea, Bristol County, in the State of Massachusetts; SHERMAN PARIS and MARSHALL J. ALLEN are the general partners, and they reside respectively in the City of New-York. The amount of capital which said special partner, FRANK S. STEVENS, has contributed to the common stock is the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
The partnership is to commence on the 15th day of March, 1866, and terminate at the expiration of five years thereafter, that is to say, March 15, 1871.
That the principal place of business of said copartnership is the City and County of New-York.
SHERMAN PARIS,
MARSHALL J. ALLEN,
General Partners.
FRANK S. STEVENS,
Special Partner.
Dated, signed and sealed, March 12, 1866, in presence of A. G. HULL.
[United States Internal Revenue stamp, canceled.]

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS day formed a copartnership under the firm name of B. ROBINSON & CO., for the purpose of buying and selling Stocks, Bonds, Gold and Government Securities on commission at the New-York Stock Exchange.
BEVERLEY ROBINSON, JR.,
EDWARD L. THERIAT.
No. 22 BROAD-ST., NEW-YORK, March 1, 1866.

THE UNDERSIGNED FORMED A COpartnership on Jan. 1, 1866, under the style or firm of HARLAN & LAWTON, for the purpose of buying, selling and shipping coal at Nos. 70 and 71 Trinity Building, New-York.
WM. J. HARLAN,
WALTER LAWTON.

COPARTNERSHIP.—EDWARD T. MORGAN becomes a member of our firm from this date.
NEW-YORK, March 1, 1866.
H. T. MORGAN & CO.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

A HANDSOME FAMILY HORSE FOR SALE.—Dark bay, 16 hands, 7 years old, stylish and fully warranted kind and gentle. Also, coupe rockaway, nearly new, with pole and shafts, and new harness. Seen at CROPMON'S stables, 32d-st., near Lexington-av.

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF DAPPLE GRAY CARriage horses, full sixteen hands high, six years old, and very stylish. A rare chance to get a bargain. Apply to A. & G. POLHEMUS, No. 85 Broadway, Williamsburgh.

SADDLE HORSE FOR SALE—A SORREL horse, 15½ hands high, 3 years old, well bred and gentle, suitable for a lady. Apply at No. 6 Great Jones-st., before 11 A. M.

COAL.

$8.75.—BEST QUALITY WHITE ASH coal, egg size, $8 75; stove size, $9 25 per ton of 2,000 lbs., delivered well screened from under cover; Scranton nut coal, $7 75 per ton; also, oak wood at $3 50 per load, delivered from yards Nos. 3 and 5 Oak-st., corner New-Bowery.
GEO. W. BENNETT.

SHIPPING.

NATIONAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO. (Limited.)

NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL,
Calling at Queenstown to land passengers.

Ships.	Tons.	Commanders.
QUEEN	3,412	Grogan.
ERIN	3,310	Cutting.
PENNSYLVANIA	2,872	Lewis.
LOUISIANA	3,165	Thomson.
ENGLAND	3,450	Grace.
SCOTLAND	3,695	Hall.
VIRGINIA	2,876	Prowse.
HELVETIA	3,315	Ogilvie.

Leaving Pier No. 47, North River, as follows:
ERIN.......SATURDAY, March 17
THE QUEEN.......SATURDAY, March 24
PENNSYLVANIA.......SATURDAY, March 31
AND EVERY SATURDAY THEREAFTER.

The size of these steamships admits of very spacious state-rooms, all opening directly into the saloon; the accommodations and fare are unsurpassed, and the rates lower than by any other line.
An experienced Surgeon on each ship free of charge.
Steerage passage tickets to bring parties from Liverpool or Queenstown, for $40 currency.
Cabin passage, $90; Steerage, $30—payable in currency.
The owners of these vessels will not be accountable for specie or valuables unless bills of lading, having their value expressed therein, are signed therefor.
For freight or cabin passage, apply at the office of the Company, No. 57 Broadway.
J. D. NAAR, Acting Manager.
For steerage passage at THOMPSON'S Passage Office, No. 275 Pearl-st., and at the Company's Office, No. 57 Broadway.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS.

BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.
AND
BETWEEN BOSTON AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT HALIFAX AND CORK HARBOR.
JAVA leaves New-York Wednesday, March 21.
AFRICA leaves Boston Wednesday, March 28.
AUSTRALASIAN leaves New-York Wednesday, April 4.
CHINA leaves Boston Wednesday, April 28.
CUBA leaves New-York Wednesday, April 18.
ASIA leaves Boston Wednesday, April 25.

FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL.
Chief Cabin Passage.......$132 50
Second Cabin Passage.......80 00
FROM BOSTON TO LIVERPOOL.
Chief Cabin Passage.......$112 50
Second Cabin Passage.......65 00
payable in gold, or its equivalent in United States currency.
Berths not secured until paid for.
An experienced surgeon on board.
The owners of these ships will not be accountable for Specie or Valuables unless bills of lading, having the value expressed, are signed therefor.
For freight or passage, apply to
E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

ONLY AMERICAN LINE TO ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

The New-York and Havre Steamship Company's first-class mail steamships ARAGO and FULTON, having been thoroughly refitted, will leave Pier No. 37 North River for Havre, calling at Falmouth, on the following days, at noon, precisely:
ARAGO.......HENRY A. GADSDEN.......March 17, 1866.
FULTON.......JAMES A. WOTTON.......April 14, 1866.
ARAGO.......HENRY A. GADSDEN.......May 12, 1866.
FULTON.......JAMES A. WOTTON.......June 9, 1866.
ARAGO.......HENRY A. GADSDEN.......July 7, 1866.
And every twenty-eight days thereafter.
PRICES OF PASSAGE IN GOLD.
First cabin.......$132 50 | Second cabin.......$80 00
Through tickets to London, $5 extra.
An experienced surgeon on board.
The company will not be responsible for specie or valuables unless bills of lading, having the value expressed, are signed therefor.
For further information, apply to
JOSEPH J. COMSTOCK, Agent,
No. 7 Broadway, New-York.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.

THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAMSHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.
The splendid new vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50, North River, as follows:
WASHINGTON....SURMONT....SATURDAY, April 7
PEREIRE.......DUCHESNE....SATURDAY, April 21
NAPOLEON III....BOCANDI....SATURDAY, May 5
LAFAYETTE......LEMARIE.....SATURDAY, May 19
PRICE OF PASSAGE IN GOLD.
First cabin, $135; second cabin, $80, including table wine in either class.
Passengers intending to land at Brest will be furnished here with railroad coupon tickets, and their baggage checked to Paris, at an additional charge of $5 for first and $3 for second class.
Medical attendance free of charge.
For further information apply to
GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent,
Removed from No. 7 to 58 Broadway.
At Paris, 12 Boulevard des Capucines, (Grand Hotel.)
At Havre, WM. ISELIN & CO.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL—CALLING AT Queenstown. The Inman Line, sailing semi-weekly, carrying the United States Mails.
CITY OF NEW-YORK....SATURDAY.....March 17
ETNA.......WEDNESDAY..March 21
CITY OF BOSTON.......SATURDAY.....March 24
CITY OF CORK.......WEDNESDAY..March 28
and each succeeding SATURDAY and WEDNESDAY, at noon, from Pier No. 44 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE, PAYABLE IN CURRENCY,
BY THE MAIL STEAMER SAILING EVERY SATURDAY.
First Cabin.......$120 | Steerage.......$35
First Cabin to London....125 | Steerage to London.......40
First Cabin to Paris.......135 | Steerage to Paris.......55
Passage by the Wednesday steamers: First Cabin, $90; Steerage, $35.
Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at moderate rates.
Steerage passage from Liverpool or Queenstown, $45. Tickets can be bought here by persons sending for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Offices.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent, No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

THE NORTH AMERICAN LLOYD.

New line of first-class side-wheel steamers between NEW-YORK AND BREMEN VIA COWES.
The Company have engaged the first-class steamer ERICSSON, 2,500 tons, 700 horse power, LOWBER Commander,
to leave 15th MARCH, for Bremen direct, having just completed extensive repairs and considerably increased her speed.
Rates of passage, payable in gold, or its equivalent: First cabin, $105; second cabin, $62 50; steerage, $37 50.
For freight and passage apply to
RUGER BROS., General Agents,
No. 45 Beaver-st.

FOR HAVANA DIRECT.

The United Steam Mail Sidewheel Steamship
MORRO CASTLE,
R. ADAMS, Commander,
Will leave Pier No. 4 North River, on WEDNESDAY, March 21, at 3 o'clock P. M. precisely, for Havana direct.
For freight or passage apply to
SPOFFORD, TILESTON & CO.,
No. 29 Broadway.
N. B.—The favorite steamer EAGLE will succeed the MORRO CASTLE and leave on March 28.

UNITED STATES MAIL LINE
FOR
RIO DE JANEIRO,
CALLING AT
ST. THOMAS, PARA, PERNAMBUCO AND BAHIA
EVERY TRIP.
The United States and Brazil Mail Steamship Company will dispatch regularly, on the 29th of each month, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 43 North River, one of their new first-class steamships.
THE
HAVANA,
M. R. GREENE, Commander,
WILL LEAVE
ON THURSDAY, 29TH MARCH.
An experienced surgeon is attached to each steamship.
All letters must pass through the Post-office.
Large lots of heavy freight at low rates.
For freight or passage, apply to
THOMAS ASCENCIO & CO., No. 17 Broadway.

SAVANNAH, GEORGIA.

EVERY SATURDAY, FROM PIER NO. 13, NORTH RIVER, in connection with railroads throughout Georgia and Florida.
EMPIRE SIDE-WHEEL LINE.
Passage tickets issued through to Augusta, Macon, Thomasville, Darien, Brunswick, St. Mary's, Fernandina, Jacksonville, and Picotalka.
The favorite side-wheel steamship
SAN JACINTO,
WINSLOW LOVELAND, Commander,
Will sail for Savannah direct from Pier No. 13, North River, foot of Cedar-street, on SATURDAY, March 17, promptly at 3 o'clock.
Freight received daily and handled carefully.
Bills of lading furnished and signed on the pier.
SAN SALVADOR follows on SATURDAY, March 24.
For freight or passage, having elegant accommodations, apply to GARRISON & ALLEN, Agents,
No. 5 Bowling-green.
Agent at Savannah, B. H. HARDEE.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.

ATLANTIC COAST MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
WEEKLY LINE.
SIDE-WHEEL STEAMERS.
HERMAN LIVINGSTON......Capt. J. B. BAKER.
GEN. BARNES.......Capt. THOS. H. MORTON.
The favorite and fast side-wheel steamship
HERMAN LIVINGSTON,
will leave SATURDAY, March 17, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, from Pier No. 36 North River, connecting with all the railroads in Georgia, and Florida steamers.
All the connections to and beyond Augusta now complete. Through rates given to the interior of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee.
Freight at tariff rates.
For freight or passage, having splendid accommodations, apply to LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
No. 141 Broadway.
Agents in Savannah,
WILDER & FULLERTON.
Goods to be forwarded by railroad should be marked care of "C. R. R. Agent."

FOR SAVANNAH.

PIONEER LINE.
Cabin passage.......$25 | Deck.......$10
EVERY THURSDAY.
Landing cargo in Savannah the following Monday morning.
The new first-class steamship
CHASE,
W. D. ROATH, Commander,
will leave Pier 4 N. R. at 3 P. M., on THURSDAY, March 15.
For freight at lowest rates, or passage, having first-class accommodations, apply to
LEWIS L. JONES,
No. 17 Broadway.
Agents in Savannah,
HUNTER & GAMMELL.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.

MURRAY'S WEEKLY LINE.
THURSDAYS.
Cabin passage, $25; deck, $10.
Connecting with all railroads throughout Georgia and Florida.
LEO.......DEARBORN, Commander.
VIRGO.......BULKLEY, Commander.
The favorite steamship
VETERAN, STANNARD, Commander,
will sail from Pier No. 16 East River, foot of Wall-st., THURSDAY, March 15, at 3 P. M.
For freight only, apply to
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO.,
Nos. 61 and 62 South-st.
OCTAVUS COHEN, Agent in Savannah.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.

BLACK STAR LINE.
The fast-sailing steamship FUNG SHUEY will leave Pier No. 13 North River, on SATURDAY, March 24, at 3 P. M. For freight or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply to
R. LOWDEN, Ag't, No. 54 Wall-st.
Bills lading signed at the office, No. 98 West-st., corner of Cedar.
GEO. A. FOSDICK, Agent at New-Orleans.

FOR NEW ORLEANS DIRECT.

The new and first-class steamship STAR OF THE UNION, Capt. BLANCHARD, will leave Pier No. 9, North River, on SATURDAY, March 17, at 3 P. M. For freight or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to H. B. CROMWELL & CO., No. 86 West-st.

NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.

The New-York Mail Steamship Company's steamship GUIDING STAR will leave on SATURDAY, March 17, at 3 P. M., from the Company's pier, No. 46 North River.
For freight or passage apply to
JAMES A. RAYNOR, No. 10 Barclay-st.

SHIPPING.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S
THROUGH LINE
TO CALIFORNIA,

AND CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAIL, leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st, 11th and 21st of every month, (except when those dates fall on Sunday, and then on the preceding Saturday,) for ASPINWALL, connecting, via Panama Railway, with one of the company's steamships from Panama for SAN FRANCISCO, touching at ACAPULCO.
MARCH.
1st. ARIZONA, connecting with GOLDEN CITY.
10th. HENRY CHAUNCEY, connecting with ST. LOUIS.
21st. NEW-YORK, connecting with SACRAMENTO.
Departures of 1st and 21st connect at Panama with steamers for SOUTH PACIFIC PORTS; 1st and 11th for CENTRAL AMERICAN PORTS. Those of 1st touch at MANZANILLO.
Baggage checked through. One hundred pounds allowed each adult.
An experienced surgeon on board. Medicines and attendance free.
For passage tickets or further information apply at the company's ticket office, on the wharf, foot of Canal-st., North River, New-York.
F. W. G. BELLOWS, Agent.

FOR CALIFORNIA VIA NICARAGUA.

EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES.
First Class. Second Class. Third Class.
$200 to $175. $125. $65.
THROUGH TO SAN FRANCISCO.
The Central American Transit Company having placed a fine new steamboat on LAKE NICARAGUA, thereby insuring passengers
A PROMPT AND RELIABLE TRANSIT,
will dispatch the fast and elegant steamship
SANTIAGO DE CUBA,
JERRY H. SMITH, Esq., Commander,
on TUESDAY, March 20, at noon, from Pier No. 29 North River, foot of Warren-st., at the above
EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES.
For passage apply early, by mail or in person, at No. 177 West-st., corner of Warren-st.
D. N. CARRINGTON, Agent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS TO SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICAN POINTS.
Having concluded arrangements with the PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY and the CENTRAL AMERICAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, we are now prepared to receive and forward WITH DISPATCH all kinds of goods, to and from points on the SOUTH PACIFIC and CENTRAL AMERICAN COAST, under THROUGH BILL OF LADING at GREATLY REDUCED RATES.
For further particulars, classification of goods and rates, apply at our office, No. 84 Broadway.
WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
Sole Freight Agents P. M. S. S. Co.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C.

PEOPLE'S MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
EMILY P. SONDER.......Capt. H. LOCKWOOD.
MONEKA.......Capt. C. P. MARSHMAN.
The above splendid steamships will leave every THURSDAY, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 37 North River, invariably landing cargo at Charleston on Monday morning.
The new and elegant steamship
MONEKA,
sails on THURSDAY, March 15, at 3 o'clock P. M.
For freight or passage, with unsurpassed accommodation, apply to
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., No. 141 Broadway.
Consignees at Charleston, ARCHIBALD, GETTY & CO. All bills of lading signed on board the vessel.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C.

REGULAR UNITED STATES MAIL LINE
of first-class steamships.
The favorite and fast steamship
ANDALUSIA, BURSLEY, Master,
is now receiving cargo and will be dispatched promptly at 3 o'clock, from Pier No. 14 East River, on SATURDAY, March 17.
For freight or passage, apply to
ARTHUR LEARY, No. 73 William-st.
The ALHAMBRA being unavoidably detained, the ANDALUSIA takes her place as above. Shippers will insure accordingly.

FOR RICHMOND, CITY POINT AND NORFOLK.

GOES TO THE WHARF AT RICHMOND.
The new and elegant SIDE-WHEEL steamships
HATTERAS, Capt. LEWIS PARRISH, every SATURDAY, at 12 M.
ALBEMARLE, Capt. H. A. BOURNE, every WEDNESDAY, at 12 M.
FROM PIER NO. 36 NORTH RIVER.
Freight for Newbern, N. C., and all points on Roanoke River, as far as Halifax, forwarded by our agent at Norfolk, free of charge.
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THE STEAMER
META,
Capt. WM. F. CONOVER,
will leave the short pier, foot of Barclay-st., as follows:

LEAVE NEW-YORK.	LEAVE RED BANK.
Thursday, March 8, 11 A. M.	Friday, March 9, 10 A. M.
Saturday, March 10, 1 P. M.	Monday, March 12, 12 M.
Tuesday, March 13, 3 P. M.	Wednesday, March 14, 2 P. M.
Thursday, March 15, 3 P. M.	Friday, March 16, 7 A. M.
Saturday, March 17, 3½ P. M.	Monday, March 19, 7½ A. M.
Tuesday, March 20, 9 A. M.	Wednesday, March 21, 9 A. M.
Thursday, March 22, 10 A. M.	Friday, March 23, 9 A. M.
Saturday, March 24, 12½ P. M.	Monday, March 26, 12 M.
Tuesday, March 27, 3 P. M.	Wednesday, March 28, 2 P. M.
Thursday, March 29, 3 P. M.	Friday, March 30, 2½ P. M.
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EXPRESSES.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY, No. 82 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK.
THE UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY have made arrangements to extend their express lines, on the 1st of June next, west of the Missouri River to Denver and the mining districts of Colorado, and they will be prepared on the 1st of July next to extend their lines to Utah, Montana and Idaho.
They will also be prepared to give through bills of lading by their dispatch line for heavy freight to the above-named points.
C. A. DE WITT,
FEB. 14, 1866. General Superintendent.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONERS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS-ST., NEW-YORK, Jan. 6, 1866.
Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Rolls of the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New-York, for the year 1866, will be open for inspection and review from and after Monday, January 8, 1866, and will remain open till the 30th day of April, 1866, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate of the City and County of New-York. All persons believing themselves to be aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above-mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law. The act of 1859 provides that "during the time the books shall be open to public inspection, as hereinbefore provided, application may be made by any person considering himself aggrieved by the assessed valuation of his real or personal estate, to have the same corrected. If such application be made in relation to the assessed valuation of real estate, it must be made in writing, stating the ground of objection thereto, and thereupon the Commissioners shall examine into the complaint, and if in their judgment the assessment is erroneous, they shall cause the same to be corrected. If such application be made in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate, the applicant shall be examined under oath by the said Commissioners, who shall be authorized to administer such oaths, or any of them; and if, in his or their judgment, the assessment is erroneous, they shall cause the same to be corrected, and fix the amount of such assessment as they may believe to be just, and declare their decision thereon within thirty days after such application shall have been made to them. No reduction shall be made by the Board of Supervisors of any assessment on real and personal estate imposed under this act, unless it shall appear, under oath or affirmation, that the party aggrieved was unable to attend within the period prescribed for the correction of taxes, by reason of sickness or absence from the city.
A. J. WILLIAMSON,
J. W. ALLEN,
J. W. BROWN,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

THE COMMITTEE ON LANDS AND Places of the Board of Aldermen will meet on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, at 1 o'clock P. M., in the Chamber of their Board, to consider the propriety or expediency of making the City Hall Park an open, paved plaza, and affording additional carriage way in the surrounding streets, by removing the present sidewalks of the Park. All persons interested are requested to attend without further notice.
W. L. ELY,
L. R. RYERS, } Committee.
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RAILROADS.

HUDSON RIVER AND HARLEM RAILROADS.

On and after MONDAY, Jan. 1, 1866, trains for Albany and Troy, connecting with Northern and Western trains, will leave New-York as follows:
7:30 A. M. via Hudson River Railroad, 30th-st. and 10th-av., connecting with trains for North and West.
10 A. M. via Hudson River Railroad, connecting with Northern and Western trains.
11 A. M. via Harlem Railroad, 26th-st. and 4th-av., connecting with trains for North and West.
3:45 P. M. via Hudson River Railroad, connecting at Troy with train for Montreal, with sleeping-cars attached.
4 P. M. via Harlem Railroad, connecting at Albany with Western trains, and at Troy with Rensselaer and Saratoga and Troy and Boston, for points North, with sleeping-cars attached.
7 P. M. via Hudson River Railroad; sleeping-cars from New-York to Buffalo and Suspension Bridge without change. Also, to Montreal via Saratoga. This train runs on Sundays.
10 P. M. via Hudson River Railroad; with sleeping-cars attached, connecting at Albany and Troy with morning trains for North and West.
WM. H. VANDERBILT, Vice-President.

ERIE RAILWAY.—TRAINS LEAVE DEPOT foot of Chambers-st., via Pavonia Ferry:
7:00 A. M.—Day Express, for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Salamanca and West. Connects at Buffalo with Lake Shore and Grand Trunk Railways, and at Salamanca, with Atlantic and Great Western Railway.
8:30 A. M.—Milk and Way Train, daily, for Otisville.
10:00 A. M.—Express Mail, for Buffalo, Salamanca, and Dunkirk, connecting with Lake Shore and Atlantic and Great Western Railways.
4:00 P. M.—Way Train, for Port Jervis and Newburgh.
5:00 P. M.—Night Express for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Salamanca and West.
6:00 P. M.—Lightning Express, Daily, for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Salamanca, Dunkirk and West; connects at Buffalo with Lake Shore and Grand Trunk Railways, and at Salamanca, with Atlantic and Great Western Railway.
8:00 P. M.—Emigrant Train, daily, for Buffalo, Salamanca, Dunkirk and West.
HUGH RIDDLE, General Superintendent.
WM. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass. Agent, N. York.

RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD.

On and after MONDAY, Feb. 12, 1866, the express train for Camden will be discontinued. The steamer will leave Pier No. 3, North River, daily, Sundays excepted, at 4 P. M., connecting with train for Manchester, Tom's River, Long Branch, &c.
FREIGHT FOR CAMDEN and intermediate stations will be taken at LOW RATES on the 4 o'clock line, reaching Camden the next morning.

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Leave Woodbridge—7:25, 8:55 A. M., 12:15, 4:10, 6:20 P. M.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY—Trains leave Jersey City for Piermont at 9:15 A. M., 12:25, 4:25, and 6:02 P. M. The 9:15 and 4:25 run through to Monsey. On Monday only for Piermont at 5:15 A. M. THOS. W. DEMAREST, Superintendent.

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SEVENTH REGIMENT BAND.—THE COMplimentary Concert to C. S. Grafulla will take place at the Armory, on SATURDAY EVENING, March 17. Tickets to be had, as usual, from the Orderlies, or from C. S. GRAFULLA, No. 1 Stanton-st.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER OF the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the widening and extending of Ann-street and Fulton-street, in the City of New-York.
Pursuant to statutes in such case made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, hereby give notice, that they intend to apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on SATURDAY, the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter; that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the widening and extending of Ann-street and Fulton-street, in said City, in manner following, that is to say: on the northerly side of Ann-street, between Park-row and William-street, and on both sides of Ann-street, between William-street and Gold-street; also, on both sides of Fulton-street, between William-street and Ryder's alley; also, on the southerly side of Fulton-street, between Ryder's alley and Water-street, and on the northerly side of Fulton-street, between Front-street and South-street, in the City of New-York, as laid down and delineated on a certain map made by Edward Boyle, City Surveyor, on file in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council, of the City of New-York.
DATED NEW-YORK, February 27, 1866.
RICHARD O'GORMAN,
Counsel to the Corporation.

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF KINGS—E. BURTIS BRAINERD, Plaintiff, against Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick and Ann Heydrick, his wife, Henry W. Mosher, William A. Fowler, Charles V. Culver, William F. Drake, Albert A. Drake, The Oil City Bank, Henry G. Nichols, Charles W. Miller and Barnet Johnson, Defendants—Summons for relief—(Com. not served.)—To the defendants: Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick and Ann Heydrick, his wife—You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the Court-house, in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, number forty-one Wall-street, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
BRAINARD, RICE & BURNETT,
Plaintiff's Attorneys, No. 41 Wall-st., New-York.
Dated Febuary 28, 1866.
The complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the Court-house in the City of Brooklyn, on March 2, 1866.
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SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF KINGS.— CYPRIAN S. BRAINERD, Jr., plaintiff, against Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick, and Ann Heydrick, his wife, Henry W. Mosher, William A. Fowler, Charles V. Culver, William F. Drake, Albert A. Drake, The Oil City Bank, Henry G. Nichols, Charles W. Miller, and Barnet Johnson, defendants.—Summons for relief—Camplaint not served. To the defendants Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick, and Ann Heydrick, his wife: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the Court-house, in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, number forty-one Wall-street, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
BRAINARD, RICE & BURNETT,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys,
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SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF KINGS.— DANIEL C. SILLECK, as administrator, &c., of Adelia Silleck, deceased, and Jemima Silleck, plaintiffs, against Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick and Ann Heydrick, his wife, Henry W. Mosher, William A. Fowler, Charles V. Culver, William F. Drake, Albert A. Drake, The Oil City Bank, Henry G. Nichols, Charles W. Miller and Barnet Johnson, defendants.—Summons for relief—complaint not served.—To the defendants, Jesse A. Heydrick, Elizabeth Heydrick, —— Heydrick, Charles H. Heydrick, and Ann Heydrick, his wife: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the Court-house, in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, number forty-one Wall-street, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service: and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
Dated Feb. 10, 1866.
BRAINARD, RICE & BURNETT,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys,
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WASHINGTON NEWS.

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going on. The action of France in planting troops in Mexico, and in placing an Austrian prince on an imperial throne in Mexico has not passed unchallenged. And I venture to say that when the whole correspondence on that subject, recent as well as more remote, shall come before the people, no member will be disposed to complain of the position which the Government has taken on that subject. If our reasonable and just demands are not complied with, this nation knows very well how to enforce compliance with all just demands, without resorting to so paltry a subterfuge as refusing to be present at the exposition of the products of industry. In conclusion, Mr. RAYMOND expressed his confidence that the bill could not fail, because Congress was the representative of labor, and it dare not prove recreant to its trust.

Mr. RICE, of Massachusetts, declared his intention to vote for the joint resolution, because he believed that it would be an economical investment on behalf of the labor, the industry and the arts of the country, and because he believed the Exposition would be a great peace-making convention between all the nations of the earth. He defended the Secretary of the Navy from the imputation of unfriendliness to the proposition, and agreed that the amendment requesting the President of the United States instead of the Secretary of the Navy to order national vessels for the purpose proposed was a proper amendment.

Mr. MORRILL, as Chairman of the Committee on Naval Affairs, asked him whether he thought with the Secretary of the Navy, that the alteration of national vessels and the employment of them for this purpose would cost $300,000.

Mr. RICE, of Massachusetts, replied that to the best of his judgment no such sum would be required. He cordially approved of the vessels being furnished. He thought that the President had full authority to furnish them. He hoped Congress would request the President to furnish them, and that he would comply with that request, and that such a contribution of American skill and industry would be sent to Paris as would be a credit to the American nation, and as would excite the admiration of mankind.

The Committee rose to close general debate, and the House having ordered it to close in one minute the Committee resumed its session.

Mr. BLAINE asked whether the appropriatin of $100,000 made in the joint resolution was to be paid in currency or gold.

Mr. BANKS replied that it was to be paid in the currency of the country.

Mr. CONKLING, of New-York, moved an amendment providing that the period of service of the principal agent of the exhibition in the United States—salary $2,000—should not exceed one year.

Mr. BANKS—I have no objection to that.

Mr. HARDING, of Illinois, moved to amend the amendment by making it three months. He estimated as high as any one the high position which the country should maintain in the estimation of the world; and when he heard the gentleman's (Mr. BANKS) brilliant flattery yesterday, he thought of ARTEAGA, who had been fighting for his country thirty years, and who had been executed at the behest of the great man at the head of the French nation, as the gentleman had described him. He thought of ARTEAGA executed as a prisoner of war in cold blood, and of the 20,000 other Mexican patriots executed in the same manner by this great man—this model Emperor. He agreed with his colleague Mr. WASHBURNE. He would send no baggage-wagons, nor soldiers' uniforms on sticks, to be laughed at by representatives of the royal families of Europe. He would much prefer to see our soldiers in line of battle in and round Mexico.

Mr. BANKS opposed the amendment. He said that before he took any part in the consideration of this question he applied to the leading friends of the Republic of Mexico in this city and New-York for their opinion as to its effect on the Republic of Mexico, and received in every instance an unqualified answer that it was for their interest, as it was for ours, that our Government should be represented to the fullest extent.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, inquired whether Mr. BANKS had inquired of the gentleman representing the Mexican Republic in Washington.

Mr. BANKS replied that he had not, but had consulted with the leading friends of the Mexican Republic. He added that when the question as to France and Mexico should come before the House from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, neither the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. WASHBURNE) nor any other member would be left in doubt as to the disposition of the Committee to maintain the rights of this country.

The amendment offered by Mr. HARDING, of Illinois, was rejected, and that offered by Mr. CONKLING was agreed to. The Committee then rose, and the House took a recess till half-past seven P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 7½ o'clock, with a pretty fair attendance of members, and the galleries were well filled.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES MINISTER AT PARIS.

The Speaker presented a message from the President of the United States, transmitting two communications from the Minister of the United States at Paris, in relation to the proposed exhibition of fishery and water culture to be held at Archacon, near Bordeaux, France, in July next. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

THE NEW-YORK QUARANTINE.

Mr. TABOR offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Secretary of War to communicate to the House what effect, in his opinion, will be produced on the navigable waters of New-York Harbor by the erection of a quarantine station on the shoal known as West Bank, in said harbor, and whether such location, owing to its exposed situation, will not render it impracticable to erect the docks and wharves at which vessels may be safely moored.

MICHIGAN RAILROADS.

Mr. LONGYEAR introduced a bill to extend the time for the reversion to the United States of lands granted by Congress to aid in the construction of a railroad from Amboy to some point on or near Traverse Bay, Michigan. Referred to Committee on Public Lands.

REPAYMENT OF TAXES ERRONEOUSLY PAID.

Mr. DARLING offered a resolution which was adopted, instructing the Committee of Ways and Means to inquire into the expediency of providing by law for the repayment of taxes paid in error by cartmen and hackmen under an erroneous construction of the Internal Revenue Law.

RESOLUTIONS FROM MILWAUKEE.

Mr. PAINE presented resolutions adopted by the citizens of Milwaukee in reference to the relations of the late rebel States with the Government. They were referred to the Committee on Reconstruction.

THE TAX ON TOBACCO.

Mr. TRIMBULL presented the resolutions of the General Assembly of Kentucky, remonstrating against the proposed tax on leaf tobacco, and they were referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

THE TESTIMONY OF MAJOR-GEN. CUSTAR.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Ill., from the Committee on Reconstruction, presented the testimony of Major-Gen. CUSTAR relating to Louisiana and Texas. It was ordered to be printed.

PETITIONS.

Mr. FARQUHAR presented the petition of 10,000 citizens of Indiana, relative to the bounty and an increase of the pensions of soldiers during the war of the rebellion.

Mr. O'Neill presented the petition of Assistant Assessors of Internal Revenue, asking for an increase of pay; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union, Mr. WILSON, of Iowa, in the chair, and resumed the consideration of the joint resolution to provide for the expenses attending the exhibition of the products of the industry of the United States at the exposition in Paris in 1867.

Several amendments were proposed and debated.

Mr. CONKLING suggested that if this were a mere missionary enterprise to preach to the people of Europe the gospel of American resources, the best way to accomplish the desired object would be to have the speech of the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. BANKS) translated into the foreign languages and published abroad.

Mr. STEVENS regarded this as a proposition to send ten school-masters to Paris to teach these French people.

Mr. LE BLOND regarded it as got up in the interest of New-England in order to enable manufacturers to compare their productions with those of France.

Mr. O'NEILL sustained the joint resolution, and presented and had read a petition from the polytechnic students in Pennsylvania in favor of the object.

Mr. WHALEY indorsed the speech of his friend from the Galena district, (Mr. WASHBURNE,) and believed that every soldier, from the rock-bound coast of the Atlantic to the blue waves of the Pacific, would indorse it. [Laughter.] He would vote against the measure, unless on condition that an equal sum would be appropriated to build an orphan asylum in Washington City. [Laughter.]

Mr. LE BLOND suggested that among the contributions of American curiosities, the Reconstruction Committee or the Freedmen's Bureau Bill should be sent on exhibition. [Laughter.]

Mr. THAYER suggested Copperheads. [Laughter.]

An amendment was offered by Mr. GRINNELL, which was adopted, directing that the scientific Commissioners provided for shall be selected from different parts of the country. Also an amendment offered by Mr. SPALDING, that in no contingency shall any further or greater sum than $100,000 in lawful money of the United States be paid from the National Treasury for the purpose contemplated by this joint resolution; also an amendment offered by Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, that the Commissioner shall report to Congress the manner in which the expenditures are made; also an amendment offered by Mr. BANKS to strike out the second and third sections, and to insert in lieu thereof the following section;

That the President be authorized and requested to furnish one or more public vessels for the transportation from New-York to France of such articles and products of the industry of the United States as may be offered and accepted by the general agent at New-York, for exhibition at the Paris Capital.

The Committee rose and reported the bill. The amendments were all agreed to.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, called for the yeas and nays on the passage of the joint resolution. The vote was taken by yeas and nays, and resulted, yeas 69; nays 50. So the joint resolution was passed.

The bill as passed appropriates $100,000 for the following purposes: To provide necessary furniture and fixtures for the proper exhibition of products of the United States, $48,000; for the compensation of the principal agent of the United States in the Exhibition, at the rate of $2,000 per year, the period of service not to exceed one year; four clerks in New-York and four in Paris at $1,200 each, and ten professional and scientific Commissioners at $1,000 each; for the erection of any additional structure that may become necessary for the proper exhibition of products of the United States, $50,000, provided that one-half of the cost shall be assessed on the proprietors or exhibitors of articles; contingent expenses at Paris and New-York, $50,000.

The second section requests the President of the United States to furnish one or more public vessels.

The third section requests the Governors of States to invite the people to assist in the proper representation of American products.

On motion of Mr. STEVENS the night session to-morrow was ordered to be omitted.

The House adjourned at 9:45 o'clock P. M.

Iron Founders' Convention.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 14.

Pursuant to notice the National Convention of Iron Founders assembled in this city at the Board of Trade rooms at noon to-day. Between 80 and 100 delegates were in attendance, from nearly all the Northern, Eastern and Western States, as also from Canada. The Convention was organized by the election of CHARLES EDDY, Esq., of Troy, as President; Gen. JOHN F. RATHBONE, of this city, Vice-President, and BENJAMIN BURTON, Esq., of this city, Secretary.

The President elect stated the object of the Convention briefly but forcibly. At the conclusion, a Committee was appointed to prepare a Constitution and resolutions. Several gentlemen addressed the Convention, but as their remarks referred to organization and matters of business exclusively, they were not intended for publication. The afternoon was passed in consultation and an interchange of views. At dusk the Convention adjourned till to-morrow.

The meetings of the Convention are not public, but the Executive Committee will prepare a report of the proceedings for publication after the organization is perfected.

The Orton Murder—Fenian Affairs.

ROCHESTER, Wednesday, March 14.

The Orton murder remains a mystery. The Coroner's jury found that the deceased was killed by some person to the jury unknown. PADDOCK, who was arrested, proved an *alibi*, and was discharged.

There is a report in circulation here that the Fenians have purchased the four large steamers of the American line on Lake Ontario, now lying in this harbor. This is not credited, however. The steamers are fitting out for the Spring trade.

It is understood that the Government officials are keeping an eye upon these boats, and affairs in the harbor below the city.

An Alleged Heavy Failure.

BOSTON, Wednesday, March 14.

The failure of the Whipple File Manufacturing Company was announced to-day with heavy liabilities.

The capital stock of the company was seven hundred thousand dollars, and it recently petitioned for a further increase.

The suspension is attributed to the Company having on hand a large stock of goods which cannot be sold except at a great loss.

The means of the Company have been somewhat crippled recently in efforts to sustain its credit.

Boston Bank Statement.

BOSTON, Wednesday, March 14.

The following is the weekly statement of the condition of the banks of this city:

Capital	$41,900,000
Loans	90,705,000
Specie	624,000
Legal Tenders	19,908,000
Deposits	35,298,500
Circulation—National	22,730,000
Circulation—State	721,000

Marine Disasters.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, March 14.

At 2 o'clock this morning the steamer *Adelaide* from Norfolk, while off Sharp's Island, was run into by a schooner, demolishing the cook-room of the steamer. The cook, J. CHAPMAN, who for thirty-one years has been employed on this line, was lost overboard. The schooner was towed to Baltimore by the *Adelaide*. She lost her masts and bowsprit. No blame can be attached to Capt. CANNON, of the *Adelaide*.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, March 14.

The schooner *Henry Kaynes*, of Portland, from Cienfuegos, for New-York, was abandoned in a sinking condition, on the 3d inst., in lat. 28.15, long. 79.45. Capt. SUMONTON and his crew were saved by the schooner *K. A. Griffin*, Capt. FOSTER, at this port from Cienfuegos.

Marine Disaster.

SHARK RIVER, Wednesday, March 14.

The brig *San Juan*, Capt. LORENZO QUIGULA, loaded with logwood, from Mexico, bound to New-York, is ashore at Shark River.

A Loss Made Good.

The Southern Express Company, which runs in connection with the Adams Express Company, paid yesterday, through its President, H. B. FLANT, $200,000 to the First National Bank of Memphis for money lost on the *W. R. Carter*, which exploded near Vicksburgh, Miss.

The money was received by the Adams Express Company at St. Louis and handed over to the Southern Express Company at Cairo, by whom it was shipped on board the steamer *W. R. Carter*, which arrived at Memphis during the night, and not making sufficient stay to deliver the money, it was carried past that City, rendering the Company liable for the loss.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Tax Levy—Soldiers' Monument in Greenwood Cemetery—The Public Administrator's Department—St. Patrick's Day and the Fenians.

This Board met at 2 P. M. yesterday, Mr. BRICE in the chair.

A communication was received from the Comptroller of Greenwood Cemetery, stating that in accordance with the request of the Common Council, a plot of ground has been set apart in the Cemetery, for the erection of a monument to the soldiers killed in the late war.

The Finance Committee handed in their report on the Tax Levy, which was then taken up and read item by item. The principal amendments were the addition of $50,000 for the erection of a monument in Greenwood Cemetery to the memory of soldiers killed in the war, and $20,000 for the purchase of the right of using Morse's patent in connection with the police telegraph.

The report of the Committee, as amended, was then adopted.

The ordinance prepared by Mr. VARNUM, making certain changes in the Public Administrator's Department, fixing the salary of that official at $5,000, and allowing him $6,300 for clerk hire, was called up.

Mr. NORTON moved to reduce the allowance for clerk hire to $4,300. He said that one of the clerks now employed in the Bureau did no work whatever, having a perfect sinecure, and that the Committee, in their report on the subject, had endeavored to blind the public to the facts.

The motion was lost, and the ordinance was laid over.

Aldderman MOORE offered a preamble and resolution to the effect that whereas St. Patrick's day is to be celebrated by a grand parade of our fellow citizens of Irish birth, including those who are about engaging in an effort the most laudable and patriotic looking to the restoration of down-trodden and unhappy Ireland to that freedom which is her natural right; and whereas the people of New-York sympathise with the oppressed people of Ireland, that with a view of making such sympathy manifest the flags on the City Hall be displayed during St. Patrick's day from sunrise to sunset, and that the Courts and public offices of the Corporation be closed in order to afford all who desire to do so an opportunity to join in the demonstration.

Mr. VARNUM moved to strike out the preamble, which motion was lost. The preamble and resolution were then adopted.

A lease was granted for 99 years, at a nominal rental, to the trustees of the Patriots' Orphan Home, of the lots in Seventy-ninth-street, bounded by the Third and Fourth avenues.

A resolution to increase the salary of the stock clerk in the Finance Department from $1,700 to $3,000 per annum, was adopted.

The Board then adjourned to Monday next, at 2 P. M.

LAW REPORTS.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

Is a Party Working His Passage a Passenger—Nature of, and Consideration for, such a Contract—Passage on an Engine Doing Duty as Fireman—The Rule of "Respondeat Superior" and its Exceptions—The Qualifications and Limitations Recognized in respect to the Exception—Common Carriers.

Charles H. Daniels, by Thompson, his next Friend vs. The Chicago and Rock Island Railroad Company.—On the trial of this case in the Northern District of Illinois, it was proven that the defendant was a common carrier of passengers and freight, &c., on its road, from Chicago to Peru, as alleged in the declaration; that on the morning of Friday, the 9th of November, 1860, the plaintiff was on the engine of defendant, proceeding over the road, when, by the negligence and carelessness of the engineer of the locomotive, a collision took place which resulted in great personal injury to the plaintiff, and to recover for which the action was brought.

The facts of the case were, that the plaintiff had been a fireman of the Company, and was suspended, and on the 8th of the month of November had applied to the master mechanic of the road for a pass to go to Peru for certain clothing; that he was told by the master mechanic that they were about to send an entire engine down to Peru, and that he could fire it down, and should have a "pass" back; that on this understanding the plaintiff did fire the engine, and was hurt while in the performance of that duty. Plaintiff's witnesses testified that he was to fire the engine for his passage, while defendant's witnesses testified to the effect that the master mechanic had no authority to employ a man to work his passage; that a man who worked upon the road was entitled to pay for the time he was employed, and would be so paid; that the master mechanic had no authority to "pass" a man, not in the employ of the road, over it, and that it would be the business of the conductor in such a case to take up the pass and collect fare, or put the party off the train. The plaintiff sought to place him in the position of a passenger laboring for his passage instead of paying money for it, and the Company sought to put the plaintiff in the relation of a servant of the road.

On this state of facts the Judges were opposed at the Circuit, and the case comes here on the following questions certified, viz.:

First—Whether the plaintiff was so far the servant of the defendant as to be subject to the rule laid down in certain English and American cases that a servant cannot recover against his employer for injuries caused by the negligence of a co-servant.

Second—Whether, if he was the servant of the defendant, yet, being in a subordinate capacity, he may not recover for an injury caused by the carelessness of the engineer, under whose direction and control he was at the time when the collision occurred.

On the first branch of this inquiry the plaintiff contends that at the time when he called on the master mechanic for a pass he was not in the employment of the defendant; but had been suspended or discharged, and was in the same relation to the Company as if he never had been employed by it. He had no claim on the defendant for wages, nor had defendant any claim on him for services. There was no contract existing between the parties. What the precise character of the agreement between the plaintiff and the master mechanic was—whether it was that plaintiff should fire the engine from Chicago to Peru, as the consideration of his passage to the latter place and back to Chicago; or whether it was that the plaintiff should perform this service for wages to be paid by the Company therefor—are questions of fact for a jury. It is not the province of the Court to weigh the evidence bearing on these points, or decide whether it preponderates in favor of one or the other. If there is any evidence in the case from which the Jury have the right to find for the plaintiff, it may be assumed that such would be their verdict. If there is evidence in the case which would justify the finding that the plaintiff was to fire the engine to Peru for his passage, it must be assumed for the purpose for which the case is before this Court, that this was the agreement. And there is abundant evidence to justify such a finding. The plaintiff was a passenger, with all the legal rights appertaining to that character. It is conceded that, by consenting to take transportation on an engine, he tacitly assumed upon himself the peculiar risks and annoyances incident to that mode of traveling. But he did not assume the hazard of injury from collision with another train on the road—a kind of accident which could result only from gross carelessness.

Upon his agreement to fire the engne for his passage, the plaintiff acquired a legal right to be conveyed by the defendant, on this particular journey, on the terms proposed. If the defendant had refused to receive the plaintiff on the engine at the time specified, or, if having received him, had then neglected to convey him over the route, with reasonable dispatch, the plaintiff could have maintained an action for damages; his rights in this particular, differing in no way from those of any other passenger for hire, and being altogether different from those of a mere servant, who could have no cause of action whatever in the case supposed. In fact the journey was never completed; since the defendant, by tortious negligence, at the same time disabled the plaintiff, and prevented him from completing the journey by reason of his hurts. An action therefore could have been maintained against the defendant, on the literal terms of the contract, for not conveying the plaintiff according to the agreement, and for tortiously preventing him from pursuing his journey. The moving consideration which led to the agreement between the parties, was the procuring of a passage by the plaintiff over defendant's road, and this is the criterion by which to determine his true character. But for this the plaintiff would not have been upon the engine, or road, at all. What he sought was not employment, but passage to Peru and back. It was essentially a contract between passenger and carrier, and not between master and servant. His chief, leading capacity or character was that of passenger, and the firing of the engine only in the nature of an incident. He was traveling upon his own business to a certain place, and for that purpose solicited the favor of a pass over defendants' road. It cannot be that in undertaking to perform an incidental service as compensation or fare for the trip, he lost the character and protection of a passenger. The plaintiff was lawfully on the engine, and upon that issue the verdict of the Jury must be for the plaintiff.

The rule of *respondeat superior*, or that the master shall be civilly liable for the tortious acts of his servant, is urged in this case. This Court, in the case of Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company *vs.* Derby, said: This rule is of "universal application, whether the act be one of omission or commission; whether negligent, fraudulent or deceitful, if it be done in the course of his employment, the master is liable; and it makes no difference that the master did not authorize, or even know of the servant's act, or neglect, or even if he disapproved or forbade it, he is equally liable, if the act be done in the course of his servant's employment." Such being the universal rule, the burden of the argument is upon the defendant, to show that the plaintiff's case is excepted from the operation of the rule for most clear and satisfactory reasons. No exception answering this purpose has ever been recognized by this Court, nor has this Court heretofore manifested any desire to soften the wholesome severity of the law on this point—least of all in such cases as have involved the duties of common carriers.

If it were determined that the plaintiff was a servant of the Company at the time of his injuries; still the departure from the rule of *respondant superior* in such cases has not become the settled law. The question is comparatively a new one, and does not appear to have ever been distinctly presented to this Court before. In most of the State Courts the question is new, whilst in those States where it has arisen the wildest diversity of opinion has found utterance from the Bench. In the State of Wisconsin the Courts give no countenance whatever to this departure from the rule, and sustain it in favor of the servant to the full extent to which it is asserted by the Scottish Courts. But in the State of Massachusetts the exception has been recognized.

Admitting, however, that the exception is too firmly established to be departed from, still the following qualifications and limitations have been recognized or suggested:

I. When the injured servants and the servant whose carelessness caused the injury were engaged in different departments of service, and not in the performance of common duties, an action will lie.

II. If the master fail to exercise proper care and diligence in the selection of the agencies and instruments with or upon which he employs his servants, he will be liable to the servant for any injury resulting therefrom.

III. When an engineer employed by one railroad company is injured by the carelessness of a switchtender in the employment of another railroad company, whose track is used by the former under an agreement between the two companies, the injured party may maintain an action against the latter company.

IV. If a servant is injured by the negligence of a fellow-servant, both being employed in the same business, and the master has not used reasonable care in the appointment of the latter, he is liable for injuries resulting from neglect to use such care, in the absence of proof that the injured servant was aware of the incompetency of the fellow-servant.

V. Where an employer places one person in his employment under the direction of another, also in his employment, such employer is liable for injury to the person of the one placed in such subordinate situation, resulting from the negligence of his superior.

Upon the assumption, therefore, that the plaintiff was a servant, his case clearly falls within the ruling of the cases cited in support of this last point, and he is entitled to recover. He is also entitled to recover in consequence of the negligence of the Company in selecting a competent engineer. The defendants respond at some length, citing English and American authorities in support of the exception to the rule of *respondent superior*, and insisting that if it be argued that plaintiff was a passenger and not a fireman when it is admitted that he contracted to do all the duties of a fireman, it is maintaining that he contracted to do service without becoming a servant. Nor does it make any difference as to the length of the engagement. The plaintiff was as much a fireman for the purposes of this suit as if he had been years in the service then being regularly performed by him in due course of employment. Nor was he less a firemen though the consideration for his services was a pass. The consideration does not change the nature of the service. The object of the Company was to get a competent fireman for the trip, and whoever undertook to perform the service, whatever his compensation, become such fireman. The plaintiff was neither a stranger nor a passenger, nor is he within the rule of *respondent superior*.

Hurd and Booth for plaintiff; B. C. Cook and F. H. Winston for defendant.

United States Supreme Court.—MARCH 13.

On motion of Mr. David W. Field, G. P. Lowrey, Esq., of New-York, was admitted an attorney and counselor of this Court.

No. 380. *Ex-parte.* In the matter of Lambdine P. Millinger, petitioner.

No. 365. *Ex-parte.* In the matter of Wm. A. Bowles, petitioner.

No. 376. *Ex-parte.* In the matter of Stephen Horsey.

The argument of these causes was concluded by Mr. David Dudley Field for the petitioners.

No. 6. Original docket—*Ex-parte.* In the matter of A. H. Garland, petitioner.

No. 8. Original docket—*Ex-parte.* In the matter of Robert H. Marr, petitioner.

The argument of these causes was commenced by Mr. Marr, the petitioner in No. 8.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

Possessory Action—Motion to Bond.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—EASTERN DISTRICT.

Before Judge Benedict.

Edwin P. Treat vs. The Schooner Rainbow.—This was a cause of possession in which a motion was made by the respondent before answering for leave to bond the vessel. The motion was denied on the ground that issue was not yet joined, but with leave to renew. The answer was therefore filed, and the application for leave to bond was renewed by the respondent, and a similar application was made on the libellants behalf.

Held by the Court—That in possessory action the release of the vessel from custody cannot be demanded as a right prior to the hearing on the merits.

That in this case, neither the urgency of the case nor the equities set up by the respondent are sufficient to warrant a present delivery of the vessel to him on bail. To grant it, would be to establish a precedent liable to work mischief and confusion in the management of ships. It does not appear that the vessel is under any great expense, nor that the cargo of coal on board is in any danger of loss or depreciation; and no cause of delay in bringing the case to a hearing is stated other than a necessity on the libellants' part to obtain testimony from Maine to prove on the trial facts admitted by the defendant for the purposes of this motion.

That a much stronger case must be made out before a court would be justified in allowing a vessel seized in an action of possession at the instance of a majority owner, to depart from its custody in charge of a minority owner.

That if the facts set up by the libellant would warrant her delivery to him as necessary to avoid serious loss, no great loss appears likely to ensue by the detention of the vessel till the hearing.

That as the respondent is ready to proceed to a hearing at once, the delay asked by the libellant cannot be urged by him as a reason for the delivery of the vessel to him.

The motion on behalf of both parties is denied, but with leave to renew after ten days, if there is no prospect of a speedy determination of the controversy.

For libellant, Messrs. Benedict, Burr & Benedict; for respondent, Messrs. Scudder & Carter.

The Meteor Case—Application to Bond.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Before Judge Betts.

The United States vs. The Steamship Meteor.—In this case, which is brought to forfeit the vessel for an alleged violation of the neutrality laws, the claimants yesterday morning applied to the Court for an order directing the delivery of the vessel to them on their giving proper security, and appointing appraisers to determine the value of the vessel, for the purpose of giving such security.

The motion was opened by Mr. Choate, who urged that the application should be granted under the 60th Rule of the Court, which provides for such a motion "in cases of seizure of property in behalf of the United States."

The motion was opposed by Mr. Courtney, the Assistant District-Attorney, who claimed that that rule was directed towards proceedings under the revenue laws, and had no reference to a case like the present. He also read a letter from the State Department to the District-Attorney, as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, March 10, 1866.

SIR: I give you herewith a copy of a note which I have just had the honor to receive from his Excellency, Mr. Tassara, the Minister of Spain, in which he states that he is advised that the owners of the *Meteor* have applied to the District Court for a release of that vessel under security.

An application has heretofore been made to the President to favor such a proceeding. It has been considered with the result following, viz: That the Executive authority finds no sufficient grounds for interfering with the due and the regular course of the administration of justice.

It is expected, therefore, that you will take such course in regard to the present question as shall be best calculated to maintain the neutrality laws of the United States, in their full force and virtue.

I am, with much respect, your obedient servant,
WM. H. SEWARD.

The Hon. Daniel S. Dickinson, United States District-Attorney, New-York.

And he urged that the delivery of the vessel to the claimants would be a mere evasion of the neutrality laws.

Mr. Evarts, on behalf of the claimants, replied, claiming that the law and justice required in such cases that property should be released from custody, and not subjected to ruinous expense; and that there was nothing whatever in the letter from the State Department which should have the least weight with the Court, which was bound to decide questions which came before it according to law, and not according to any intimation from the Executive Department or any other source.

The Court reserved its decision.

Counterfeiters Sentenced.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Before Judge Shipman.

Henry Williams, indicted for passing a counterfeit $50 note, withdrew his plea of not guilty, and, pleading guilty, was sentenced to be imprisoned at hard labor at Sing-Sing for a year and to pay a fine of one dollar.

Louis Schuster, convicted of having counterfeit money in his possession with intent to pass it, was sentenced to be imprisoned at hard labor for seven years and six months and to pay a fine of $500.

Henry Palmer, convicted of a similar offence, was sentenced to be imprisoned at hard labor for four years and to pay one dollar fine.

John Goff, convicted of passing counterfeit money, was sentenced to be imprisoned at hard labor for a year and to pay one dollar fine.

Important Question of Law as to Gifts Between Husband and Wife—The Rights of Creditors and Assignees.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—MARCH 14.

Before Justice Garvin and a Jury.

Zachary Peck, Assignee of Wm. H. Brown, deceased, vs. Eliza J. Brown.—The plaintiff, in this action brought the suit as assignee, the defendant being the widow of Wm. H. Brown, deceased. It is brought to test the title of the defendant to a piece of land on Dry Dock-street, near Twelfth. The widow became possessed of this land by virtue of a deed executed by her husband in July, 1849, whereby, for the sum of $1 to him in hand paid by his said wife, Eliza, he conveyed to her the fee simple of the premises in question. An answer was put in; the defendant setting up the defence that the deed of this property was a gift from the husband to the wife. The plaintiff demurred to it on the ground that a deed from the husband to a wife was not good in law, especially where the rights of creditors were to be considered. The demurrer, after argument at Special Term, was overruled, and the case was sent to this branch of the Court to be tried on the issues of fact involved. There was no dispute as to the fact that in July, 1849, Mr. Brown, deceased, executed a deed of the lots to his wife. In 1854 he made an assignment of all his property. The assignees soon after re-assigned to him this property with other, by an instrument in writing by which, among other matters, it was stated that all his debts were discharged. In 1855, Brown made another assignment for the benefit of his creditors. He died in a few days after the execution of the last-named instrument. The deceased was a shipbuilder in this City, doing an extensive business, and was worth at the time of his death, according to the statement of some of the witnesses, over half a million of dollars. Defendant claimed that at the time the deed was executed the value of the gift was no more than a fair and equitable provision for the wife, considering his fortune and position in life. Furthermore, that the deed, although the sum of $1 was mentioned in it as a consideration, was a mere matter of form, and was in reality made in consideration of arrears of pin-money; that Mr. Brown had taken and used the proceeds of some of her property.

The widow testified on the stand that her husband, in the last year of his life, requested her to allow him to let some property of hers adjoining the ship-yard, and assigned as a reason that it could be let in that way to better advantage, at the same time saying he would pay to her a proportionate share of the rental.

On the part of the plaintiff it was claimed that a deed from husband to a wife was invalid under the statute of this State passed in 1849; that the deceased wes never, pecunisrily speaking, in a condition to make such a settlement.

The issues as settled by the Court, and which were submitted to the Jury were as follows:

1. Was William H. Brown possessed of the property prior to October, 1855.

2. Did he assume to convey it to the plaintiff in trust.

3. Whether the plaintiff has since been in possession of the premises. The 4th is substantially the same.

5. Whether at the date of the conveyance to the defendant the deceased was possessed of property in excess of his debts and liabilities; and if so, what was that excess.

6. Whether there was any agreement between the deceased and defendant, in pursuance of which the deed was made.

7. Whether the deed was made in consideration of the release by her of her dower; or (8) whether for any pecuniary consideration, and what; and (9) whether it was not also made in consideration of love and affection.

10. Whether the defendant entered into possession of the whole or any part of the premises, and if so, what part; and (11) whether she has had the rents and profits of it.

12. Whether the conveyance was by way of settlement; and (13) whether, if so, it was a reasonable provision for her in reference to her husband's means and liabilities, or (14) whether it was more than reasonable, reference being had to her husband's pecuniary condition, at any time between the deed to her and the general assignment to the plaintiff.

A question was raised in the course of the trial, whether under section 399 of the code the defendant could testify on her own behalf as to conversations with her deceased husband, he being the plaintiff's assignor. The Court ruled out all such conversations except where made in presence of a third party. It was then shown that the third party present on those occasions was also dead, and the objection raised anew. The Court, though doubtful on the point, admitted the evidence.

The jury after a long absence returned a verdict on all the issues, substantially for the defendant.

The Mutual Pleasure Club in Court—A Verdict for $500.

MARINE COURT.

Before Judge Alker and a Jury.

McMahon and others, assignees of the Mutual Pleasure Club vs. George Roahr—This suit has been on trial during the past three days, and involved some nice questions at law. From the opening of Dennis McMahon, Esq., of counsel for the plaintiffs, and from the evidence introduced by him, it appeared that the Mutual Pleasure Club was an association of young men who delighted in boating and yachting, and who made up a purse to build a boat. The defendant who was one of their number, was a boat builder and offered to build for them a first-class A No. 1 pleasure-boat to be properly and securely fastened with copper fastenings, good material, &c., &c., for $1,000, payable $250 down, $250 when launched, and $500 in September or October following. The boat was to be completed in six weeks, but the time was extended until July 1. On the 3d of July the boat was launched, and on the 8th of July made her trial trip. On the trip, or soon after, the club after paying $500 to Roahr, discovered serious imperfections and defects in the boat, and called the defendant to an account therefor. The defendant, after hearing all the statements, admitted that he had not performed his contract, and that the boat had serious faults, which might be remedied by his building another boat. He asked the members of the club to be lenient with him, and proposed that if they would give him the privilege of building another boat during the ensuing Winter he would give security for the money. The plaintiffs' club so agreed, and a time was set for the defendant to bring in security. At the appointed time he did not attend, and thereupon the club conceeded to sue him to get back their $500, and for that purpose assigned over their claim to four of their number.

Mr. F. H. B. Bryan and Mr. McAdam appeared for the defence, and raised a great many nice legal questions on the right of the plaintiffs to sustain the action. These questions involved a very nice argument, but the Court, after hearing both counsel, sustained Mr. McMahon on all the points, and refused to nonsuit.

The defendant's counsel, Mr. Bryan, then introduced a large mass of testimony, which tended to fully contradict the case made by the plaintiffs. He brought up eight experts, who testified that the boat was a first-class boat in every respect, fully furnished and equipped; and properly constructed. That the vessel did not leak more than usual, and that her timbers were all properly put in and fastened.

The plaintiffs' counsel, however, elicited, on cross-examination, some testimony bearing on the conduct of the defendant which bore against his client. The plaintiff also proved a great many particulars by experts which showed that the boat was badly built.

The evidence was very conflicting and the case exceedingly interesting, as it involved the whole science of boat-building. A nephew of the famous George Steers, of the same name as the deceased, was examined and gave in his opinion which went strongly against the boat-builder.

The Judge gave an impartial charge. The jury were out but a few minutes, and rendered a verdict in favor of plaintiffs for $500 damages, on which the Court made the usual allowance of 5 per cent. and costs.

D. & T. McMahon for plaintiffs; F. H. B. Bryan and D. McAdam for defendant.

Decisions.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—MARCH 14.

By Justice Barnard.

George Harvey et al. *vs.* Julius Oppenheimer; motion denied. Duchateau *vs.* Zippil; motion denied. Rodney B. Smith et al. *vs.* Stephen Fonda; motion denied.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—MARCH 14.

By Judge Cardozo.

Pearl *vs.* Robitchets; see memorandum.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—MARCH 14.

By Justice Barbour.

John W. Bam *vs.* John Kelly; order granted. August Hauft *vs.* Herman F. Pohlman; motion granted. J. Devine *vs.* Sarah James; order vacating injunction. Wm. P. Casey *vs.* The Same; same decision. John C. Bliss *vs.* Stephen Brerhof; motion granted.

Court Calendar—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—*Part I.*—Nos. 1031, 1047, 1131, 1145, 1163, 1063, 1065, 1111, 1169, 1175, 1177, 1181, 1183, 1187, 1189, 1191, 1195, 1201, 1203, 1205. *Part II.*—Adjourned to Monday next. *Part III.*—Nos. 746, 998, 852, 1230, 927, 472, 246, 1103, 1139, 670, 308, 1044, 1202, 882, 990, 876, 1019, 1025, 931, 742.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Held by Justice Ingraham, at No. 73 Duane-street.—Nos. 204 to 222, both inclusive.

SUPREME COURT CHAMBERS—Nos. 88, 108, 173, 189.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.—*Part I.*—Held by Judge DALY.—Nos. 950, 898, 1332, 1053, 1341, 840, 1119, 102, 1317, 926, 1510, 1511, 1512, 1514, 1518. *Part II.*—Held by Judge BRADY.—Nos. 1252, 1417, 838, 843, 1481, 1468, 891, 1497, 1428, 1510, 1506, 1507, 1509.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Part I.*—Nos. 980½, 1215, 1755, 1481, 1965, 1685, 2517, 1217, 1513, 1779, 1973, 1977, 1779, 1981, 1983. *Part II.*—Nos. 2462, 2482, 2156, 2566, 2102, 2500, 2616, 2618, 2620, 2624, 2630, 2632, 2634, 2836, 1638.

A Murderer Sent to the State Prison for Life—Underground Life in the Sixth Ward.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before Judge Russel.

Michael Healey, a native of Ireland, fifty years of age, was arraigned yesterday under an indictment for homicide of the degree of murder, when the prisoner pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree. It appears that the prisoner lodged in a basement at No. 46 Mulberry-street, in which there were five double beds and one single bed for the accommodation of lodgers. On the morning of the 25th of November, 1865, Healey having some difficulty with a fellow lodger named Peter McGary, waited till he (Peter) had got to sleep on one of the numerous beds in the den referred to, and at about 10 o'clock in the morning, took the ax which the accommodating landlady of the lodging-house used for splitting kindling wood, and for other domestic purposes, and with it deliberately proceeded to administer sundry murderous blows upon the head of the sleeping Peter, which resulted in his (Peter's) death. The landlord and landlady were Jeremiah and Johanna Hanigan, who gave testimony on the Coroner's inquest as to the manner in which the horrible transaction took place. The prisoner, in his defence, said: "Deceased and I could not agree together. On Saturday as I passed him he screeched out, and I hit him with my crutch; I did not hit him with the ax." This was proved to be false, however, the hair of deceased's head having been found sticking to the ax immediately after the deed. The prisoner is a cripple, who uses two crutches, the use of either of which would be punishment severe enough without resort to an ax, as they are shod with iron.

Mr. Bedford, Assistant District-Attorney, was ready with witnesses to prosecute the case, but the prisoner was willing to put in the plea already stated. Under these circumstances, Mr. B. submitted the testimony taken before the Coroner in the case to the Court, and expressed his willingness to accept the plea in consideration of the crippled condition of the prisoner, and the probability of a jury failing to meet the case as it should be met.

The Court advised the acceptance of the plea, and sentenced the prisoner to the State Prison for the term of his natural life.

Martin Hogan pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, and was remanded for sentence.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

The People *vs.* Henry Wheeler and William Simpson, burglary in the third degree; James Quinn and John Kelly, burglary in the third degree; John Geary, burglary in the first degree; William Murray, petit larceny from the person; William Jones, petit larceny from the person; Mary Connors, grand larceny of money; Timothy Collins, grand larceny; Maria Devlin and Alice Mullen, grand larceny; Richard Abbott, grand larceny; William John, assault and battery; Thomas F. Gleason, assault and battery; Henry Bauer, assault and battery; Patrick Butler, assault and battery.

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Sun rises	6 12	Sun sets	6 06	Moon rises	5 18

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

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MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....WEDNESDAY, March 14.

Cleared.

Steamships Albemarle, Bourne, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond, Livingston, Fox & Co.; Ericsson, Lowber, Bremen via Southampton, Ruger Bros.; Gulf Stream, Mount, Mobile, Smith & Dunning; Caledonia, (Br.,) Ferrier, Glasgow, F. MacDonald & Co.; Franconia, Sherwood, Portland, H. B. Cromwell & Co.; Bosphorus, (Br.,) Alexander, Liverpool, Tapscott, Bros. & Co.; Saratoga, King, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond, G. Heineken & Palmore.

Ships Frigate Bird, (Br.,) Weeks, Liverpool, E. Dovale; Gaspee, Emerson, Savannah, J. W. Elwell & Co.; Antelope, (Br.,) Heril, Shanghai, Harbeck & Co.; Albert, (Brem.,) Meyer, Liverpool, Sloman & Edye.

Barks Wheatland, Oliver, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, Dowley, Corners & Co.; Idaho, Chapman, Aspinwall, Panama Railroad Co.; Azelia, (Br.,) Brown, Cape Town, John Boynton's Son & Co.; Meridian, (Brem.,) Lentz, Bremen, Ruger Bros.; Ahlers, (Russ.,) Reckardt, London, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Bessie Harris, (Br.,) Woodworth, Buenos Ayres, D. R. De Wolf & Co.

Brigs Udola, Whittemore, Trinidad, Cuba, Thompson & Hunter; Helen Davis, (Br.,) May, Demerara, E. P. Buck & Co.; Nile, (Br.,) Whitelaw, St. Thomas, Peniston & Co.

Schooners Ellen Louise, Reeve, New-Haven, S. D. Stannard; Francisco, Warner, Brunswick, Ga., Merchant & Carman; Wm. Hone, Anderson, Richmond, Rackett, Tooker & Taylor; Edwin, Little, Baltimore, Bentley, Smith & Co.; Harvest Queen, (Br.,) McBride, Halifax, A. Smithers & Co.; M. B. Mahoney, Coffin, Saltilla, Ga., J. A. Simpson; Ellen Baxter, Jeffers, Washington, N. C.

Arrived.

Steamship Georgia, Gates, Galveston 9 ds., with mdse. to Williams & Guion. March 5, 8 A. M., lat. 28 40, lon. 92 10, spoke bark Ibis, hence for Galveston. March 12, Cape Hatteras S. W. 20 miles, passed steamship San Salvador, bound S. 13th, lat. 38 40, lon. 74 30, passed steamship Patapsco, bound W.

Bark Volunteer, (of Boston,) Tufts, Palermo 58 ds., with fruit, &c., to Gilson & Conant. Passed Gibraltar Jan. 26.

Brig Handy, Bedell, Dobay 16 ds., with timber to Murray, Ferris & Co. Feb. 26, lat. 31 15, lon. 79 45, during a heavy N. E. gale, saw a bark to the leeward, hove-to under a close-reefed maintopsail with a signal of distress flying; kept off immediately, and spoke her; she proved to be the Br. bark Mary, from Cardenas for New-York, with a cargo of molasses, in a sinking condition, having sprung a leak during the gale. Her Captain requested us to keep by him, as he was obliged to abandon her, having three feet of water in the hold, both pumps going, the leak gaining fast, and the crew very much exhausted. The sea running very high, furled our mainsail and kept wearing ship every hour in order to keep close to her while taking the crew on board; at 11 P. M., had succeeded in getting all hands safely on board, they having nothing but the clothes they had on. Feb. 28, spoke schr. Hartstene, from New-Orleans, for Havre, and desired him to take on board a part of the wrecked crew, but as he had been a long time to sea and bound to a distant port, declined to do so. March 11, fell in with steamship New-York, from Aspinwall, bound to New-York, whose Captain very kindly supplied us with provisions, of which we stood in need. Many thanks are due to the Captain of the New-York for the willingness and kindness with which he stopped his ship and supplied us with provisons.

Brig Iris, Simmons, Messina Jan. 5, with fruit, &c., to Bruce & McAuliffe. Jan. 24, in the Mediterranean, was run into by a French schr., lost jibboom, &c. 27th, passed Gibraltar. Experienced heavy N. W. gales the last three weeks, and been blown across the Gulf twice.

Brig J. Hathaway, (of Newport,) Townsend, Sagua 18 ds., with molasses to J. L. Hathaway & Utley. Has had heavy weather, sprung foreyard and split sails. Has been 10 ds. N. of Hatteras.

Brig Fearless, (Br.,) Saunders, Cardenas 18 ds., with sugar and molasses to Brett, Son & Co.

Brig Isabel Beurmann, Small, Sagua 19 ds., with sugar and molasses to H. W. Loud & Co.

Schr. J. H. Burnett, Wilson, Wilmington 10 ds., with cotton and naval stores to A. Kindberg & Co. Split foresail, mainsail, jib and flying-jib, had bulwarks washed away.

Schr. Orville, Murphy, Jacksonville 9 ds., with cotton, resin and cedar to order. Had heavy westerly winds the entire passage; split jib and mainsail and lost jibboom.

Schr. Emma Anderson, (of St. Kitts,) McCarthy, Viequez, P. R., 16 ds., with sugar and molasses to H. A. Vatable & Co. March 12, 25 miles S. S. E. of Cape May, passed the spars of a large fore and aft schr., apparently not long in the water.

Schr. Gen. Banks, (of Brewer, Me.,) Ryder, Belize, Hon., 28 ds., with mahogany, &c., to Miller & Houghton.

Schr. Camilla, Clark, Fernandina, Fla., 15 ds., with hard pine to Smith & Boynton.

Schr. Mary Allerton, Parsons, Jacksonville, with cotton and resin to Dibble & Co.

Schr. Charles Bentley, Williams, Wilmington, with naval stores.

Schr. Franklin Bell, Harmon, Wilmington, N. C., with mdse.

Schr. Gen. Van Vliet, Wright, Norfolk 5 ds., with wood.

Schr. P. Armstrong, Peterson, Norfolk 3 ds., with wood.

Schr. Messenger, Holden, Baltimore, for Yonkers.

Schr. Nelly Baker, Freeman, Wellfleet, for Virginia.

Schr. Ben. Soule, Wilmington, N. C., with mdse.

Schr. L. C. Evans, Hammond, Charleston.

Schr. Abby Brackett, Duncan, Jacksonville.

Schr. Emma E. Glover, Harmon, Galveston.

Below.

Ship Great Western, from Liverpool.
Bark Allemania, from Rotterdam, via Bermuda
Bark Ann Wheaton, from London.
Bark Adel Gunde.
Brig Ocean Wave.
Brig S. Duncan.

Miscellaneous.

The schr. Henry Jaynes, Simonton, from Cienfuegos for New-York, was abandoned in a sinking condition at 8 P. M., March 3, lat. 28 15, lon. 79 45. The crew were taken off by schr. J. A. Griffin, and landed at Philadelphia this morning.

HATTERAS INLET, March 11.—The schr. B. L. Sherman, from Roanoke River for Barbados, with a cargo of staves, is on the Swash, but will probably get over in a day or two. The schr. Burleigh, from Newbern for Philadelphia, got foul of the Sherman, and carried away the latter's starboard davit. No other damage was done.

Spoken, &c.

J. W. Harris—brig, from Philadelphia for Cardenas, Feb. 25, lat. 31 20 N., lon. 73 15 W.

Surprise—brig, Fulton, from Messina for Philadelphia, Jan. 29, lat. 34 N., lon. 10 15 W.

Domestic Ports.

BOSTON, March 14—Arr. barks Jehu, from Messina; Minnie Gordon, Buenos Ayres; brig Lewis Clark, from New-York.

Also arr. brig Lewis Clark, Bartlett, New-York.

BALTIMORE, March 14—Arr. schr. W. & H. Gould, Chase, ——. Cld. bark Dr. A. S. Hunter, Rawle, Liverpool; schr. Comet, Long, Halifax; steamer Dictator, Charleston.

HOLMES' HOLE, March 12, P. M.—Arr. brig Proteus, from Philadelphia for Boston; Hampden, do. for do., with sails split and loss of part of deck-load of benzine; schr. Essex, Barnstable, for New-York.

Sailed—Schr. C. A. Hecksher.

March 13—8 A. M., wind S., light. Arr. brig Forest State, Fall River for Portland; spoke brig Valencia, from Boston; schr. P. M. Wheaton, Irelan, and James Martin, Myrick, Philadelphia, for Boston; Margaret Ann, do. for St. John, N. B.; M. A. Snow, New-York, for Salem; Golden Gate, do. for Gloucester.

Sailed—Brig Proteus, schrs. Pioneer, (Br.,) W. H. Mailer, Bay State, Kate, E. H. Gott, Hero, S. T. King, Isabel Blake, E. C. Smith, Powow, J. C. Roker, J. Tyler, Mary & Emma, Essex, P. M. Wheaton, James Martin, M. A. Snow, Golden Gate, Margaret Ann.

In port—Brigs Hampden, Forest State, schrs. Raven, R. Vanaman and Laura Frances.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14—Arr. schr. J. A. Griffin, Foster, Cienfuegos.

PORTLAND, March 14—Arr. brigs Minnie Trait, Matanzas; Alpha, (Br.,) Morris, Havana; schr. Ned Sumpter, Lord, New-York.

Cld. schr. W. H. Mailer, Randall, New-York; Arthur, Richards, Philadelphia; bark Mary Fox, Rose, Cardenas; schr. G. W. Bearse, Sherman, New-York; steamer Dirigo, Sherwood, New-York.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10—Arr. ship Seminole, Holmes, New-York 96 days.

Foreign Ports.

At Viequez, P. R., Feb. 25, schr. Flying Cloud, for New-York in 4 days.

[PER HIBERNIAN. AT PORTLAND.]

Arr. from New-York, 26th, Boomerang, at Havre; 27th, Laura, at Antwerp; 28th, Glasgow, at Deal.

Arr. from Philadelphia, 27th, Whitehall, at Antwerp.

Arr. from New-Orleans, 17th, Cataline, at Malaga; 28th, Corsica, at Liverpool.

Arr. from Galveston, 28th, Eva Fisk, at Queenstown.

Off Gibraltar, 17th, Francis P. Sage.

Sld. for New-York, 26th, Zephyr, from Hamburg; 27th, Foam of the Sea, from Leghorn; 18th, Tieres, from Palermo.

Sld. for Philadelphia, 28th, Lizzie Morrow, from Liverpool.

Sld. for Boston, 28th, Empire Queen, from Liverpool.

Sld. for New-Orleans, 28th, T. H. Armstrong, from Liverpool.

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MEM.—Ship John Bertram, New-York for London, was at Plymouth, leaky, sprung mainmast.

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Arr. from Philadelphia, Merrimac, at Liverpool.

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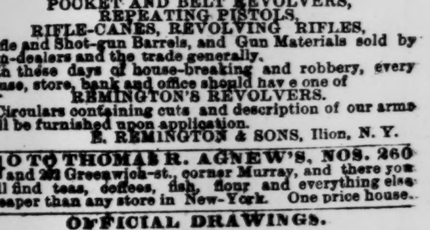

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